

During March, April ind May

You would be surprised and deighted at the effect produced upon the omplexion by the use of some one of urify.

temember the Place t the Red Front Drug Store



he Baths of Ancient gme...

unded themselves with art and com- last evening. t. With all their pumpered tastes we keep in soups, perfumery, rums, excelled in quality.

hese Can be Found the Corner



he Pen is Mightier han the Sword

pen, ink and paper as the recent al victories in the paper have demk along by supplying the correst a fright. dents of the newspapers and citis of this community with the latest es and best quality of stationary at lowest prices. We have just reed a full line of Blair's tablets and ing paper. Everything necessary he writing desk or office. Books ll the popular novels and daily rs will be found here when wanted.

Lowe & Witherspoon

and Pipestone Sts., Benton larbor, Mich.

WIND TWENTY-FIVE MORE!

That Number of Indictments Will Be Returned by the Grand Jury Next Monday.

JURY'S WORK IS REALLY OVER.

They Will Meet Monday Afternoon and Mechanically Turn in indictments Already Voted.

The work of the Berrien county grand jury is practically over. When the jurors meet Monday afternoon it will be merely to deliver over to the circuit court the indictments already

The jury could be furnished continuous work in the county, declared DOES NOT FAVOR SECRETS. Prosecuting Attorney Valentine today. Since the first session of the jury there ur standard Blood Purifiers. They have occurred several matters that reot only brighten and clear the skin of quired the attention of the jury. The I blotches and pimples but cleanse jury cannot adjourn until next Septemhe blood of all humors, tones the whole ber as has been suggested as the law rstem up and invigorates while they states that it cannot adjourn beyond the present term of court.

Mr. Valentine and the clerk of the jury spent today in preparing the indictments that the jury has voted. The program as arranged provides that the jury will meet Monday afternoon and without any preliminaries turn in the indictments, of which there are 25, and then retire and adjourn.

From a good source of authority it was learned that the indictments to be sensation as some of them will fall upon unsuspecting heads.

One of the jurors was asked why it was that Charles Bainton of Buchanan should have been indicted for bribery while William Burke, who boasts that he gave the bribe, was allowed to go unmolested. The juror didn't know unless it might be immunity for turning state's evidence.

PERSONAL HITS.

They Were Made at a Choir Oyster

The Congregational church choir Were the greatest luxuries, where regaled themselves with oysters and stators, consuls and emperors sur- toasts at the home of Mrs. J. C. Cole

by never knew the enjoyment of a toastmaster and he used his position to the sale of the St. Joseph Press to Ira thwith such exquisite toilet requisites happily rebuke the members of the A. Smith, city editor of the Palladium. choir for their failings or their shortbrushes, etc. We have a full line comings. He first attacked one of his best singers. Eddie Edmunds. Mr. ment is the beginning of next week. Andrew Jergens soaps that cannot Edmunds is at every rehearsal and he master with great dignity announced a Twin City paper. that Mr. Edmunds would respond to the Red Front Drug Store the toast, "How to insure prompt attendance at choir practice." The title tendance at choir practice." The title Otis D. Tetro. 24. Dowagiac: Grace of the toast brought much applause but M. Parker, 22. Niles. as Mr. Edmunds responded to the toast without hesitation the slang of it was that it never touched him.

The other toasts were along the same line of argument, speeches being made | The "Coffee-Never-Hurt-Me" Peoby Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Cady, Messrs. Jennings, Arford, Welton and Miss Ed-

Over lifty were present and an excel-lent evening was enjoyed.

WITH THE HERO.

Dr. Fabry Went to France With

Dr. J. J. Fabry, who has just returned from the old country, made the trip from New York to France on the La Fouraine and had a rough voyage. George Unsworth, the hero who rode helpless La Champagne last week of weakness that shows plainly enough and saved 500 people. The doctor got by the cry for relief sent up from some structure, with casemares, the walls well acquainted with Unsworth and on organ of the body.

(Continued on page 6.) the trip played eards every evening

and surgical courses at Bonn on the Rhine and Berlin and Tuebingen. had a delightful trip.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

THE Peters lumber company are refeet by boat.

THE lithographs have come for the entertainment to be given by Patricolo, the great planist, and Miss Savoi, the liquid food as well as a most delicious vocalist, on March 29.

F. B. CHRISTOPHER returned today

Fourteen leading merchants of Ben-

THE WEATHER.

Fair and warmer tonight and Sunday.

LOCAL OPTION.

The Petition Now Contains 3,150 Signatures.

It is stated officially that the local option petitions in this county now contains 3.150 signatures.

In the past few days 138 persons in Buchanan have added their names to the list.

HE WANTS TO KNOW.

Senator Morgan Wants Cuban Correspondence Submitted to Congress.

The Senator Will Introduce a Resolution on This Subject Very Soon.

Washington, March 4. - Senator Morgan says that it was his purpose to introduce a resolution at an early date making a second call upon the president for the consular correspondence bearing upon the condition of affairs in Cuba.

"I think," he said, "that the senate and the country are entitled to know officially what the condition there is, and that the reports of the consuls should not be with-held for an unusual length given Monday will create somewhat of of time. I do not, however, wish to court would be made and late last night complicate this matter with the Maine disaster, and shall not introduce the be guided as to the time by circumstances as they arise."

> Reserved seat tickets for the annual college Junior play, "Hamlet," for sale at Bird's drug store.

WILLBUY,"PRESS."

Ira A. Smith Connected With News-

A rumor is current in St. Joseph that the finding, the examination of the offi-A. P. Cady, director of the choir was negotiations are about completed for The time set for the change of manage- wreck itself. While the telegram was

It is further rumored that the Palladoes excellent work. Some times he dium will move its plant to St. Joseph comes late-usually so. So the toast- and the two papers be consolidated as

Marriage Licenses.

EXAMINE THEM.

made a welcome discovery along the line Dry Tortugas, but the officials did not of recovery of health by the proper se- hesitate to declare that only normal lection of food. Several were of the movements were going on. So it was experiment, tried leaving it off ten Salt Lake were being reviewed and it days, and the use of Postum Cereal was said that if this were so it could Food Coffee in its place. A definite be nothing more than the usual periodand decided improvement in health is ical inspections required by the regulapractically certain to attend such a tions. As for the reported orders to in-

of the individual who knows that "cof- Captain McNutt and Lieutenant Bennet fee don't hurt me," and you are almost who have been on inspection duty for sure to find some form of physical ail several years past are not to be dis-The third officer of this ship was or functional disturbance-perhaps turbed and have no orders such as are muddy complexion, or weak eyes, in-cipient heart failure, kidney trouble, The Fort at Dry Tort through ice and waves from the liver or bowel disorders, or some form

Why does the dismissal of Coffee and Great victories have been attained with him. He saw the brave officer in the use of Postum bring help? Experi-New York the first of the week and he ments in artificial digestion show cleardid not recognize him, but Unsworth ly to the scientific investigator that Cofrecognized the doctor. The sailor's fee arrests digestion, and according to trated and we are helping the good face is peeled of skin and he looks like one authority, allows only 61 per cent of the food to be digested. That strikes He returned on the City of Paris and of food for the nerve centers. As the nerves control the organs of the entire body, one can readily understand that a disorganized nervous system may show effect in any part of the body. Therefore, a removal of the cause will allow nature to right herself. A powerreceive from 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 men, phosphates, gluten, etc., from end sweetmeats are shrimps.'

> sues of the nerves. Postum aids digestoin without drugliquid food as well as a most delicious morning Coffee.

If the reader has ever failed to make from his first trip through Indiana in the reader has ever latted to make Postum satisfactorily, it will be found that, to allow it to boil 15 minutes after nd Book Store, Cor. Main

pany. He found a heavy demand for boiling commences, will solve the problem as it must be boiled to extract taste, color and food value. It is the only original Food Coffee with a pleas-Fourteen leading merchants of Benton Harbor are giving away Rand, Menton Harbor are giving away Rand,

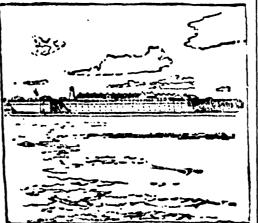
DOES NOT YET KNOW.

Maine Board of Inquiry Has Not Made Up Its Mind as to the Horror's Cause.

STATE OF THE WRECK IS A SECRET

Which Is Locked Up in the Waters and Mud of Havana Harbor—Admiral Sicard Unable to Fix Even an Approximate Date for the Board's Report-Whole Lot of Fakes Knocked Out by This Little Telegram-Return to Havana.

Washington, March 5.-It was developed yesterday afternoon through telegraphic correspondence between Secretary Long and Admiral Sicard that the court of inquiry is unable to fix even an approximate date for the conclusion of its investigation into the disaster to the Maine. Sharing the general anxlety for some information on this point Secretary Long yesterday, at the instance of the caibnet, sent a telegram to Admiral Sicard asking him when it



was probable that the report of the the following reply was received from Key West: "Have talked with the president of the court of inquiry and resolution while the court of inquiry agree with him that it is not yet posis sitting unless its report is unneces- sible to fix a date for the finding, as so sarily delayed. I have set no time for much depends upon the progress of the the presentation of the matter, but will divers and wreckers and the results they obtain. Every effort is being made to advance the inquiry. The court returns to Havana by the Mangrove this evening, having about finished the in-

> Admiral Sicard's message is regarded officially as disposing of the reports that the court has as yet obtained positive or conclusive information bearing upon the object of their investigation. It is taken to mean that upon the testimony or discoveries of the divers will depend cers and crew of the ship having been insufficient to enable the court to even form an idea as to what lines may be opened up from the investigation of the naturally somewhat of a disappointment in leaving the termination of the inquiry as much in doubt as ever, it was welcomed as practically setting at rest the reports as to the results of the in-

vestigation up to date. Mutters Appeared To Be Quiet.

It was said at the navy department at the close of office hours yesterday that no word had come from Key West or Havana save the brief dispatches of the past two days relative to the disposition of wounded and dead bodies. Matters were very quiet at least externally in the war department yesterday. There was a strong indisposition to discuss Some famous brain workers have the proposition to resume possession of "Coffee-never-hurt-me" kind, but, as an ! unknown officially that the troops at spection officers at Bethlehem to be Look carefully into the state of health | ready for a quick start it was said that

> The Fort at Dry Tortugas. The fort at Dry Tortugas is known as

The Weish Rabbit.

Those who have accepted the inconsistent name of Welsh rabbit for toast. ed cheese on the assumption that it is a corruption of Welsh "rarebit" will While a 4y Dr. Fabry took medical at the very key-stone to the arch of have to revise their view. According to health. Failure in digestion means a writer in Macmillan's Magazine, lack of good blood, and therefore a lack "Welsh rabbit is a genuine slang term belonging to a large group which describe in the same humorous way the special dish or product of a peculiar district. For examples, an Essex lion is a calf; a Fieldlane duck is a baked sheep's head; Glasgow magistrates or Norfolk ceiving shipments of lumber by rail. ful assistance to nature is Postum Ce- capons are red herrings; Irish apricots As soon as navigation opens they will real Food Coffee, composed of the albu- or Munster plums are potatoes; Graves-

Floating Bogs,

"Floating bogs" are found in the Lake of the Woods and other waters of Minnesota. The bogs nourish a large number of plants, shrubs and even small trees, as well as little animals. They drift about with the winds, and sometimes get caught in sheltered cover, where they remain and become fixed to

It may be all right to write love letters on a typewriter, but they ought

FERRY & RAPP

....SPECIAL.... OPENING-SALE!

AT THE BUSY

DEPARTMENT STORE

A Thousand And One.....

> bring all of our old customers and mady new ones.

> > A NEW LINE OF

Dress Goods, Silks and Lace Curtains

Our new Carpet Department will interest you. In Groceries we will please you:::::::::::::

You Come and See the New Firm. とそそそそがい

Not Checkers.. But Our Move

I have cleaned out the old stock of W. L. Hogue and opened to the public an entire new line of Ladies', Misses', Men's and Boys'

Fine Footwear

in the building at the corner of Pipestone and Michigan Streets.

No trouble to show goods and we will be pleased to show you around our model shoe store.

A. S. MILES..

Don't Be Fooled

Into the belief that you can buy Wall Paper from a few small samples and be as well satisfied as if you had made your selections from a \$3,000 stock.

WALL PAPER

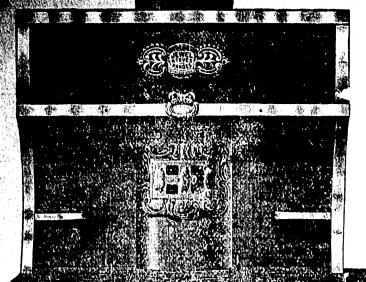
Makes a home and without it costly furniture looks cheap. We have the latest styles for 1898 in ingrain and electric patterns and show beautiful rainbow effects.

White Back Papers at 11-2c a Roll..

GEO. M. BELL &

We snow samples at your home if desired delivered free.

Ready to Take Care of the Stove Trade



Better Than Ever! at the bar his most prominent characteristic ever his rore faculty for detect.

A FULL LINE OF

The finest line of bath tubs in the city. Come in and see us. We will save you money by selling you good goods at a fair price

Dealing."

B. L. HALL,

In the opinion of the judges and prac-

strioners with whom Lincoln was associated during his quarter of a century

teristic was his rare faculty for detect-

ing and disclosing the controlling point

in a legal battle. But not less than this

in his Gettysburg address, which has a

permanent place in the literature of the

He thought vigorously and thoroughly, but did not speak quickly. In reali-

ty his hesitation was only the result of

his great care always to know his

or acting to deliberately look through,

around and beyond every fact, state-

ment or proposition involved and sub-

ject it to his wonderful powers of per-

ception and analysis. This required

time, but it made him successful in

thought much, he could not truthfully

be called a great reader. He knew thor-

oughly the works of Coke, Blackstone,

what is called case law.—James L.

A Barnato Story.

It is said that when Barney Barnato

gave a picuic at the opening of the Jo-

hannesburg waterworks he related an

incident that had happened to him in

London some time before. A seedy look-

ing man, describing himself as a jour-

nalist, called on him one day and offered

to out out from papers, etc., all the

quite characteristic of Barney's sudden

and irresponsible freaks. At the end of

six months the man, who had been paid

monthly, again called on Mr. Barnato

and presented a huge bundle of clip-

pings from newspapers, asking whether

he should continue the work. "No,"

said about me." Another six months

Barney, "where are the results of your work?" Here Barney assumed his grav-

est aspect as he repeated the man's re-

ply: "I have not been able to bring them in. There are two cartloads out-

Be Natural. If a woman cannot secure a young

man for a life mate by being herself,

iving her natural life, she would be

far better off to remain single to the

end of her days. The cloak of deception

universally worn by young women as

well as young men during courtship

cannot be continued through married

be too great and the mask must and is

finds that the other is not what he or she

seemed to be. What she or he in reality

sorted to for material gain, it brings in

side."-Westminster Budget.

King in North American Review.

new vigor in our physical systems. As the fresh sap carries life into the trees, so our blood should give us renewed strength and vigor. In its impure state it cannot do this, and the aid of Hood's Sarsaparilla is imperatively needed.

It will purify, vitalize and enrich the blood, and with this solid, correct foundation, it will build up good health, create a good appetite, tone your stomach and digestive organs, strengthen your nerves and overcome or prevent that tired feeling. This has been the experience of thou-

sands. It will be yours if you take Hoods

Sarsaparilla America's Greatest Medicine. Sold by all druggists. \$1.

Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

ATTURNEYS.

VALENTINE & ELLSWORTH, ATTOR neys and Counselors at Law, Bowma

FRANK P. GRAVES, ATTOENEY AND counsellor at law. License to practice it all state and federal courts. Office Conkey

PHYSICIANS.

A HERRING, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND Stephen, Chitty, Starkey and later N. surgeon. files Newland block, 140 Pipe-stone street—CHRONIC DI-EASES a special-ty. Hours 8:30 to 9:30 a. m., 1 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. m. Telephone 222. Greenleaf's "Evidence" and Story's "Equity." He gave but little time to searching for precedents or studying

B. G. WATSON, M. D., PHYSICIAN AN surgeon, Room 2, Graham Block. Dis cases of stomach, liver and kidneys a specialty office hours, 8:30 to 9:30 a.m., 2 to 4 and 7 to

H. A. VOTEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SUR H. geon. Office. Jones & Sonner block Hours, 1 to 4:30 and 7 to 8 p. m. Residence, 31 Pipestone street. Telephone, 111, 1 ring.

H. V. TUTTON, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Office Bell block, Benton Harbor. Hours 10 to 11:30 a.m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. E. Residence, corner Church and High streets.

E. S. ANTISDALE, PHYSICIAN AND SUR organs. Glasses fitted. Hours. 9 to 12,2 to 5, 7 to Sunday, 12 to 1 Office over First National ba-Benton Harbor Office 'phone, 228: residence, 28 complimentary things said about Mr. Barnato. The genial man of millions saw that the man was "down on his O. N. SOWERS, M. D., PHYSICIAN ANI Surgeon Office in Morton block, 10% F Main St., 'phone i93. Residence 182 Green ave., 'phone 230. Office hours, 9 to 11 m. m., 1 to luck" and engaged him on the spot at a salary of £15 per month. This was

GEO. M. BELL, M.D. DISEASES OF CHIL dren a specialty. Office over Bell's dru store. Hours i to 3 p. m. each day except Weinesday. Residence corner of Pipeatone stream Britian avenue.

he should continue the work. "No," replied Barney, "but I will engage you for six months at the same salary to cut out all the nasty things you can find said about me." Another six months

elapsed, and once more the indefatigable paper clipper turned up and reported his work to be finished. "Well," asked Raynov "where are the results of your

OPTICIAN.

GLASSES FITTED-CALL AT THE OPTI cal Parlors in the Bowman block for rellable work. R. W. Baker. Optician.

REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, ETC. ANTISDALE & LOOMIS, INSURANCE Agents, Real Estate, Loans, Renting, and roperty cared for Notary Public, Room 10. Jones & Sonner block, Benton Harbor.

CRIBBS & JARVIS, REAL ESTATE Agents, Contractors and Builders, Loan Property bought and sold. Office over Hurldge's shoe store, Benton Harbor, Mich.

COUNDS & WARNER, REAL ESTATO Loans and Insurance. Specialties i Michigan Fruit Farms and Henton Harbor Cit Property. 114 Water street, Benton Rarbo:

CURTIS & JENNINGS, REAL ESTATE Insurance, Collections, etc., Notary Public Room 4. Jones & Sonner block, Benton Harbor

WANT COLUMN.

was would be just what some other WANTED AT NCE GIRL TO DO GEN-eral housework in small family. Apply Mrs. A. Ideaby, 149 Broadway 74216 young man or woman would want, for there is a Jack for every Jill. When de-

WANTED-A MIDDLE AGED LADY TO care for an invalid lady with children Enquire at 134 Bellevue street 1735

FOR SALE OR FOR BENT

POR SALE-PURITAN RESTAURANT: 125 W, Main street. Doing a nice business, other business matters the cause. Call at restaurant for particulars. 750t6

FOR RENT OR SALE-A NO. 1 FARM OF F 65 acres. Easy payments. One of the best of its size in Berrien county. 's good grain and hay farm situated in good neighborhood. Enquire at 123 Ogden Ave., senton Harbor tf

in checking either a cough or a sneeze.

Dr. Brown-Sequard, however, in one of Lacy, 170 Heck Court.

TOR SALE-A FEW PLYMOUTH ROCK and White Wyandotte Cockerels. A. D. 748tf

POR SALE NO I HAY AT THE BARN 45e and delivered for per cwt. Straw at 19c and 20c per bale Finquire of B H Wescott, at farmers' shed and feed barn, Seventh St.

means. Pressing in the neighborhood of the ear may stop coughing. Pressing very hard on the top of the mouth is also a means of stopping coughing.

TOR SALE—HAVING SOLD OUT MY lumber business I now offer for sale my residence on Colfax avenue. This property was recently built, is modern in every respect, gas, hot and cold water throughout and heated with hot water. Its location overlooks the lake and harbor, with an unobstructed view. Aprly at residence or address J. E. Brookings, Benton Harbor, Mich. 261741

FOR RENT A FINE, 10-ROOM HOUSE ON

A DESIRABLE IS ACRE FRUIT FARM FOR A sale cueap 7 acres to peaches, other desirable fruitall under good cultivation 2 miles from B nton Harbor postoffice Call or address 137 Cedar street, Benton Harbor. 61740

RORSALE—A FEW WHITE WYANDOTTE cockerels \$1 each. Eggs per setting \$1. CK Farmer, 252 Highland avenue ti716

HOR RENT-ONE OF THE FINES? West Michigan Nurseries C W Schriver, tf663

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN ON PERSONAL PROP-erty. W. G. Newland, room 5, Jones & Sonner block. 708tf

C. HURD, SURVEYOR AND CIVIL EN concer. Landscape designing a specialty office in Graham Block. Residence, 191 East Main Street.

Dr.McDonald

Free

Consultation

The Specialist.

OFFICE PARLORS AT THE

Hotel Benton, Benton Harbor,

Tuesday, March 15.

One day only each month. OFFICE HOURS: 9 a. m. to 7 p. m.

Dr. McDonald has for years made a

study and specialty of chronic and lin-

Consultation and Examination Free

gering diseases that require skillful medical treatment for their cure. Such cases as family physicians fail to help and pronounce incurable are particularly solicited, especially those overdosed with strong mineral drugs and poisons. Dr. McDonald uses only the ourest medicines from the vegetable kingdom. He pays attention to the cause of the disease and instructs his patients the way to health and happi ness. Dr. McDonald can show hundreds of testimonials in the hand writ ing of grateful patients who have been cured by him when others failed. He is so familiar with the human system that he is able to read all diseases of the mind or body correctly at a glance? without asking any questions. Thousands of invalids are being treated daiy for diseases that they do not have, while a few drops of medicine directed to the seat of the disease would give speedy relief, and permanent cure in a very short time. Good health is the most precious jewel in our crown of happiness. With it the world is bright; without it, misery claims us for her own. If you are a sufferer you should weigh well these words: A person who neglects his health is guilty of a great 1 wrong to himself and a grave injur to humanity. The name of Dr. Mc-Donald, the well-known specialist in the cure of chronic and lingering diseases, has become a household word in thousands of homes which his skill and wonderful remedies have made happy by restoring dear ones to health after all hopes were lost. The doctor is a graduate of the highest and best medical colleges, and his advanced theories in the treatment of chronic disease surprise the most skeptical. All chron-

c diseases of the EYE, THROAT LUNGS, HEART, STOMACH, LIVER, KIDNEYS,

and BOWELS, scientifically and successfully treated Dr. McDonald has made a special study of all diseases of the brain ark nervous system, and all delicate and obscure diseases peculiar to women. Dr. McDonald's Special Remedies are

permanent cure for men suffering from nervous and sexual debility and early decay. Rheumatic and paralytic cripples made to walk; catarrhal deafness positively cured and many made to hear a whisper in a very few minutes. All aches and pains fade away under his magical remedies. Epilepsyl or falling sickness positively cured through his new method of treatment; Special attention given to catarrh and diseases of the blood.

Those unable to call write for question blank. Hundreds cured through correspondence. Medicines sent every where. Consultation free and strict confidential. Address

Dr. D. A. McDonald. The Specialist, Wellington Flats.

Webster's §International Dictionary

The One Great Standard Authority, i.



Warmly Commended

Grand Rapids, Michel

Envaluable

Specimen pages sent on application to G.&C. Merriam Co., Publishers, Springfield, Mass.

CAUTION. Do not be deceived in buying small se-called with the work of Webster's Dictionaries." All authorities abridgments of Webster's International Dictionary in the various sizes bear our trade-mark on the front cover as shown in the cuts.



was his clear, full, orderly and accurate statement of a case, always so fair and logical that it was often said that after Lincoln had summed up the important facts in a controversy there was but little occasion for argument on either side. He habitually employed at the bar the same care and skill in the use of words Cook Stoves and the expression of ideas which he so often afterward exhibited when called to a higher field of labor, instances of Up to-date and just which are seen in all his state papers and in the changes for the better which received. ... he made in the writings of his scholarly secretary of state, particularly in the correspondence relative to the Trent affair, which probably avoided a war with England. A fine example of the grandeur of his diction is to be found

A full line of paints and oil, varnishes and plastico, builders hardware, cutlery, star wind mills, steel and wood pumps, pipe, well supplies, tin and sheet iron work, gas fitting, plumbing and sewerage of all kinds ground. His habit was before speaking

Our motto: "Square every important undertaking. While he

126 Pipestone St.

TO ALL THE PEOPLE

We have the finest display of new goods ever shown in the city.

Many people have been waiting to see these goods. We shall be glad to see you.

...JAMES POUND...

Leading Dry Goods Emporium

.. The White House Store Still on Top



{See a Few Knockout Prices:

LL Sheeting at	3 <u>}</u> e
Prints at	Зе
Cotton Toweling at	2½c
All Linen Crash at	
f Fruit of the Loom Muslin at	
Lawnsdale Muslin at	
Umbrellas at	39e
Mante Blomant Chints at	05

Men's All Wool Clay Suits at.... 7.50 life when together. The strain would Men's Elegant Business Suits at. . 3.50 thrown off and trouble begins. Each one Men's Wool Pants at.98c Boys' Elegant School Suits at.....98c Boys' Cotton Pants at.....10e Ladies' Wrappers at......48c Ladies' and Misses' Dress Skirts at \$1.98 Men's and Boys' Sweaters at......19c | Ladies' New Style Capes from \$1.98 up | time.—Philadelphia Times.

All the new things in Ladies' Neckties, just arrived, from 25 cents up. Also new stock of Men's Hats and Caps have arrived. All winter goods at almost your own prices as we must have room for our large Spring stock which is arriving by the carloads. Call of the will power can be made efficient and see the new goods and take advantage of this Big Slaughter Sale.

C. & J. SCHERER

Benton Harbor 111 West Main Street,

Drs. B. S. & Co.

THESE CELEBRATED SPECIALISTS WILL BE AT

St. Joseph, Lake View Hotel, Tuesday, March 8; Benton Harbor, Hotel Benton, Wednesday, March 9 All dny, from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Watervliet, Wolcott House, Thursday, March 10

> From 8 a.m. until 11 a.m. Consultation and Examination Free and Strictly Confidential,

DRS. B. S. & CO. devote their attention to diseases of the eye, ear, throat and lungs, asth-DRS. B. S. & CO. devote their attention to diseases of the eye, ear, throat and lungs, asthma and consumption, and all chronic, private and nervous diseases, deformities, granulated lids cross eye, ceafness, discharge of the ears, bronchitis, chronic cough, goitre (big neck), fever sores and ulcers, Bright's disease, rheumatism, all diseases of the kidneys and bladder, heart stomach and nervous diseases, chorea—St. Vitus dance—general debility, scrofula, skin diseases diseases of men and women, and all diseases due to bad blood,

Epilepsy or fits positively cured by a new and never failing remedy.

Drs. B. S. & Co. made a specialty of all forms of rectal diseases, piles—internal and external, itching and bleeding, rectal ulcers, fisures, fistula—which are often taken for nervous and lung trouble, all cured. Remember we cure all forms of piles without pain, interruption or detentic p from business, and without the use of knife, caustic or ligature. Come and be convinced.

To Young, Middle-Aged and Old Men Suffering from spermetorrhea, impotency—lost manhood—or from weakness brought on from errors or indiscretions in youth or overindulgence in later years, are given permanent relief. Absolute cures guaranteed; strictly confidential.

Absolute cures guaranteed; strictly confidential.

Tumors and cancers cured without acids, knife, pain or sear. New methods.

C. tarrh. New home treatment. Unsurpassed and cheap.

Guarantee to cure every case of dyspepsia, sick headaches tame worm or stricture.

We will give special attention to difficult cases and to cases other physicians have failed to cure. Persons applying for treatment will please bring two or three ounces of urine for analysis.

DRS. B. S. & CO

ception, lying or false swearing is re-

How to Stop Sneezing and Coughing. Men's Elegant All Wool Suits at. . 5.00 | Cotton Battin4gc per roll Most of us have no doubt experienced the discomforts of being seized with a fit of coughing or sneezing at the most inconvenient times and places, and it is not usually supposed that any exercise his lectures said that coughing can be stopped by pressing on the nerves of the lips in the neighborhood of the nose.

also a means of stopping coughing. A Man Eating Canal.

Sneezing may be stopped by the same

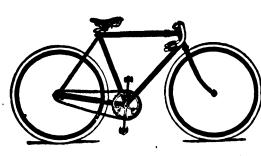
Perhaps the greatest waste of human life ever recorded was caused by the cutting of a canal in China. The work was begun in 1825, and though the right family Call on L L Merrill 74018 canal was 23 miles long, 80 feet wide and 12 feet deep and passed through forests and marshes it was finished in six weeks from its beginning. No fewer than 20,000 men worked at it day and night, and 7,000 died of fatigue.

"Our proud name has never been humbled in the dust," said Miss Par-

"Oh, yes, it has, Sally!" said the inconvenient and objectionable old friend of the family. "I remember it happenin 40 years ago, when the wind blowed down the sign off your grandfather's Morton avenue To LOAN ON FIRST CLASS Morton avenue 738t26 shoe shop. "-Indianapolis Journal.

Black-Mrs. Greene accuses her hus-

band of cruel and inhuman treatment. Brown—That's right. It is a custom of his to get two or three of his coat soiled in front so that the women will think Mrs. Greene is to blame and talk about her awfully.—Boston Transcript



\$60-POPULAR LIST PRICE-\$60

For the benefit of those who intend to purchase a wheel this season I will form a..

...CLUB

ANYONE...

this club by placing an order for a wheel before March 15, 1895. Wheel to be delivered on order of purchaser, as ordered, before November 1st, 1898.

Benefits to Members

17½ per cent discount on list price of \$60.

each member.

from. All new 1898 goods Catalogue free.

O. E. FIFIELD,

Seventh Season

RAMBLER AGENT

CALL AND SEE Cut Flowers

Designs for Weddings, Parties and Funerals a Specialty.

J. H. BRUMBY,

Cor. Elm and Eighth Sts.

W.W.CHESLEY The Clothing

.. Renovator and Dyer...

110 Pipestone, Under Wallace Bros. is now prepared to do all kinds of Cleaning and Repairin, both ladies' and gents'. First class work. Now is the time to have your clothing put in order for winter. Overcoats and Suits made to look like new. Try it and save the price of a new suit.

DYEING A SPECIALTY. ALSO CARPETS CLEANED.

STOP AT THE

Westcott House

1 106. 108 Colfax Ave.

..Benton Harbor Bicycle Works.. TOPIC AND PHOENIX

Bicycle Repairing and Enameling. All Kinds of Bicycle Supplies. General Machine Repairing.

BICYCLES

Want a Wheel? TELEPHONE SITUATION.

The Twin City Telephone Company Makes a our country are looking with alarm and Statement.

Important Facts That Will Interest Every our own cities, as they must know full well that over man who will be to be the poor grade from any resident of Citizen.

Why City Attorney O'Hara of St. Joseph Went become a boomerang which may return and hit him in the pocket later on, and to Boston.

EDITOR EVENING NEWS: Recent its best men from Detroit and they

to force its poles and other construction work through the various streets without submitting to certain restrictions and safeguards which in this age are considered by all wise city governments as necessary to the protection of May become a member of the financial interests of the city and its people.

In pursuance of their plan the Bell company is searching the country for each city, and some time ago notified the attorneys of each city that they would take testimony in Boston on a certain day, and we presume the attorneys saw no alternative but to be on Now, when Mr. O'Hara presented his bill to the St. Joseph council, it is reone of the aldermen who is a Bell com-City company in an unfair position.

the men who now constitute the Twin within their power to crush out all op-City company canvassed the proposi- position, using if possible a duped pubtion to establish a new exchange in lie as the cheapest tool for the purpose. carned dollars in an enterprise that ganizations are financially weak and everybody agreed was most sorely the people not loyal and they have been needed, and they proposed to save the able to crush them. In such cases a citizens \$2.000 to \$3,000 per annum and in turn they only asked the loyalty of the people, which was freely promised, and when this was understood they went before the councils of each city to make their bargain "franchise," prosperous, independent exchanges and did so the cities on their part The Twin City Floral comholding control of the rates to be charged their citizens, the location of leading states in the movement.

The Twin City Floral company has a large stock of all poles, wires, etc., the free use of our the Twin City company is happy to Primroses ready for deliv. system for tire and police service and say that it is now on a firm, paying

out any liability. the present injunction suit.

both cities are well posted on some to injure us and gain business for our things that most of the citizens have competitors. We also know that these not yet heard of. Among them is the men can find some believers among

events make it seem that the time had spent a week trying to get us together to make us an advantageous proposicome when the public should have full to make us an advantageous proposi-tion to quit as they called it. Failing and accurate information regarding in this they told us that we could not the telephone situation in the "Twin depend on the loyalty of our people and that they would light us out of existence. Later, when we were con-There is an injunction suit pending structing, one of their representatives between the Bell company and each stated positively that we could not city in which the Bell company seeks operate an exchange at the rates we are giving without loss, and when asked THE JURY IN THE PIE CASE how it came that they could afford the new rates so much lower than ours replied that it was only a competitive rate and acknowledged that in case they won the people would be compelied to make up their losses. This statement was made in the presence of some of our best business men who can be produced at any time. Both councils understand this proposition and do not propose to submit their citizens to the tender mercies of either company some evidence that they have at some after the other is vanquished, and time in the past gained some rights in while we have no demands to make, no case in which the Ladies' Aid society favors to buy or beg, we do earnestly of the Presbyterian church was the request that the Bell company be compelled to come in on the same basis. We do then leave the fight to us. This is our only request of the city authorities and in their sworn capacity as the ground to take care of their respectiguardians of the city's interests they tive city's interest and were there. can do nothing less if laws on this point can be enforced.

Now a few words to our citizen ported to have met hot opposition from neighbors. The Bell company has a record. Starting with some legitimate, pany solicitor and who is reported as valuable patents they have built up \$500 Accident Policy making the statement that Mr. O'Hara was the attorney of the Twin City company, thereby seizing an opportule graced the earth. Their wires were nity to make capital for his company, strung all over the civilized nations of In fact it was none of our business, and children securing its share said to have Seventeen styles to relect no doubt Mr. O'Hara so considered it. run into hundreds of million of dollars, We make this plain denial because and when their patents expired and some agency has succeeded in getting new and better patents came upon the and BETTERTHANEVER | the above falsehood into the papers | market we find that they have their and on the streets, placing the Twin wires around the throats of the business public and with their unlimited The real situation is this: When capital they propose by any means these cities it became an offer to invest In a very few instances have they found anywhere from \$20,000 to \$40,000 hard- cities where the home telephone or-

immunity from all damage of any sort, basis, doing business at a reasonable in short, secured general control with- profit, and propose to perform every promise ever made, and have not the The position now was, two telephone slightest fear of the final result. We companies in town, one with a clean, know full well the telephone business fair, restrictive franchise, the other is a natural monopoly in the city in practically a trespasser remaining by which it exists because the people after sufferance. Both councils composed of a short experience invariably vote two shrewd business men saw at once that systems a nuisance and throw one out. the only fair and safe way was for both In this case if the Twin City wins there companies to be placed on the same can be no advantage taken as the city basis and presented that ultimatum to the Bell company, who promptly rejected the proposition, saying that it was none of the council's business, and we have friends in every business house attempted to force matters, but it was and office in either city but we also promptly stopped in each city. Hence know that a few men are working very industriously against us using every Now the aldermen and mayors of possible trick, falsehood and deception fact that as soon as it was known that people who have not had an oprortun-the Twin City company was or-ity to know the facts in the case. We ganized the Bell company sent some of also know that the Bell company finds

A good rule - Buy the Best

through these men some people who, having given the matter no thought or having no care for the consequences, will put in telephones, knowing that the price is made to kill the home com-

pany and is only temporary. In these days when the best minds of poor men stand paralyzed with fear at the grasp these great corporations have on the business throat of the country such work must come with very poor grace from any resident of greatest and most conscienceless corporation on earth and becomes a pliant tool in their hands, and his vote may become a boomerang which may return not a dollar of these profits will be spent within his reach.

On the other hand every man who puts in a Twin City 'phone cast one vote for home rule in municipal affairs, home enterprises and safety and knowledge that every dollar collected will be promptly spent at home.

Such is the situation. What will rou do about it? R. MORRILL.
Secretary Twin City Telephone Co. ou do about it?

DISAGREED.

COULDN'T AGREE.

Much Amusement Was Created as the Mock Trial Held Last Night.

Judge Hamilton held court in the assembly hall of the college last night to the amusement of a large audience who had assembled to hear a celebrated pie plaintiff and Frankie A. Webb the de-

Sheriff Ferguson opened court and County Clerk Needham was present and swore the jury and witnesses. The first order of business was the arraignment of prisoners. The sheriff brought in a boy about 12 years old charged with incorrigibility, when asked guilty or not guilty the boy said that he had nothing to say until he had consulted his lawyer. In the case of Jennie Wilds vs Oscar Wilds a divorce was granted. In the complaint the plaintiff declared that while sun flowers were with \$6 per week indemnity, goes to good for one year, goes to very pretty and are all right in their

> B. H. Spencer was next brought before the court charged with wife beat- Mrs. D. B. Collins, Millinery. ing. He plead not guilty.

The sheriff next brought in the disgraced Spaniard De Lome. This distinguished personage was represented by Edward Stevens who appeared in court in uniform. He was charged with blowing up the Maine and when asked Gore arose and said as he expected to be a candidate for alderman from his ward he didn't care to defend the prisoner. De Lome was transported for 1,000 years.

nie M. Jones, Fred L. Sessions, Mary M. Gilson, Prof. George Edgeumbe, Gusta H. Owens, Osgood E. Fifield, Mary B. Edick, Jasper Rowe, Emma B. Brookings, George M. Ihresher, Carrie L. Sessions. Mr. Bailey and Prof. Edgeumbe were excused and Rev. W. P. French and Mrs. Mattie Fifield took their places.

The Aid society was represented by Attorney V. M. Gore and Mrs. Webb by City Attorney Ellsworth.

The story of the case was that Mrs. Webb attended a Presbyterian social and at the social she purchased a meat pie. She claimed that she thought it was a chicken pie and the aid society contended that she knew it was a veal pie. She was to pay 55 cents for the pie and when she found that it was veal instead of chicken she refused to pay

for it. Hence the lawsuit. Many witnesses were examined by both sides and both attorneys made eloquent pleas to the jury and when they retired at 10:50 it was hard to tell what the verdict would be. They returned in a very few moments and the foreman, Mrs. Jennie Jones, when asked what the verdict was, declared that the jury had agreed to disagree unless they could have a piece of the pie in question.

After the trial refreshments were served and a general good time enjoyed.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money of it fails to cure. 25c The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Michigan Pensions.

Michigan pensions were granted Wednesday as follows: Original-Silas Warner, Jackson, \$12: George W. Snyder, Sebewa, \$6. Renewal—George F. Jaynes, Muskegon, \$6. Increase—Charles Wilkinson, Fowlerville, \$16 to \$17; Jeheil Lloyd, Napoleon, \$17 to \$24; Frank Leroy, West Bay City, \$8 to \$12; William Henry Leroy, Rochester, \$24 to \$30; Alfred D. McGuire, Freeland, \$6 to 18; Caleb J. Bates, Batavia, \$8 to \$10: Adolphus L. Bennett, Faton Rapids, \$17 to \$24; William S. Tuck, Crystal \$6 to \$8: Napoleon Trombley, Mt. Clemens, \$8 to \$10. Reissue—Franklin Woodman, Ashley, \$17; Peter Benwire, Paw Paw, \$17. Widows—Betsey Ann Robinson, Imlay City, \$12: Lydia Hall, Mt. Pleasant, \$12.

Do you know Dora Moore?

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. Co. 25c. If C. C. O. fail, aruggists refund money.

Shoes for the People...

A bright, new, clean and stylish stock of Shoes opened by

MORRISON BROS. At 102 Water Street.

well that every man who puts in a Bell phone casts one vote in favor of the Having confidence in the people of Benton Harbor and vicinity that they know good footwear when they see it we have selected a stock of goods that we will be pleased to show the public and know we can and will please them, not alone in the goods we will show but in our prices In selecting our stock, we have endeavored to get goods with a reputation and we think we have succeeded.

Yours to please,

MORRISON BROS.

A child can buy as cheap as a man-One price to all and goods marked in plain figures.

FREE! FREE!

RAND, McNALLY & CO'S Universal Atlas of the World EVERYTHING IS NEW!

The Maps Alone Cost \$50,000.00 and Three Years' Time to Produce.

THE COMPLETE WORK EMBRACES:—64 Pages of artistically colored diagrams, relating to imports, exports, populations, etc. 157 Pages of colored maps. 98 Pages of illustrated history and biography. 125 Portraits and biographics of eminent statesmen, soldiers and writers. An Index naming and locating every city, village, post office, railway and express station in the United States, besides giving the latest official consus complete. Total number of pages, 456. Weighs eight pounds. Size of Book when closed, 11½x14½ inches. Elegantly bound in Half Morocco. Sold for \$6.00 at retail.

OUR OFFER-We will give Atlas Checks at the rate of one with every 25 cents' worth of goods purchased. (Two for 50 cents, four for \$1.00, etc.) When you have secured 300 of these bring them to Bell & Co's Drug Store and you will receive a copy of the Atlas from first lot sent in by Rand, McNally & Co.

C & J. Scherer, Dry Goods, Clothing, and Men's Furnishings. Bell & Co., Druggists.

W. H. Baker, Hardware. W. E. Kennedy, Jewelry. Chas. E. Bowman, Musical **Merchandi** Warner & Summerill, Meat Market. Peter H. Hirsch, Meat Market. C. F. Prichard, Photographer. A. S. Miles, Shoes.

NOTE-Our prices will be as low as ever. Fair dealing guaranteed. We Rad of no work which will be appreciated as this Atlas.

what he had to say said that he would throw himself upon the tender mercies of the court and requested that Hon. V. M. Gore speak in his behalf. Mr. Gore arose and said as he award as the .. of Winter Goods

The following jury was impanelled to sit in the case of the Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church vs Frankie A. Webb: S. A. Bailey, Jensia M. Janes, Frankie A. Webb: S. A. Bailey, Jensia M. Janes, Frankie A. Webb: S. A. Bailey, Jensia M. Janes, Frankie A. Webb: S. A. Bailey, Jensia M. Janes, Frankie A. Sossiana, Manuelled to sit in the case of the Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church vs. Frankie A. Webb: S. A. Bailey, Jensia M. Janes, Fran

We will sell Wool Blankets, Fur and Plush Robes regardless of cost, while they last. We have only a few of these goods left, so come early and make 25 per cent on your money for next winter.

To make sure that you get a bargain we will present each purchaser of a blanket or robe, a good whip, to'let you know that we mean business. Remember the day and date.

W. C. HOVEY...

The hustling dealer in Harness, Buggies, Wagons, Bicycles and Farm Tools...

...111 EAST MAIN STREET

Slaughter Sale

On account of removal soon to Hogue's old stand I am going to cut prices almost in two on Boots and Shoes. Prices are First come first for cash. served.

M.S.Peg

109 Pipestone St. Benton Harbor, M.

TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 1898.

THE only public misfortune that would come from a war with Spain is the likelihood that Tom Reed would

WIFE Murderer Luetgert has been given the job to superintend the sausage making plant at Joliet penitentiary. When the murderer is transferred from the penitentiary to his long home his occupation may be changed from making sausage to shoveling coal.

THE government at Washington has gone into training for war. A short pose on the peninsula a debt amounting time ago the postmaster at Lake City. S. C., was cruelly butchered and the cabinet has taken it in hand to punish the offenders. War was declared upon | care-before everything, even a soverthe murderers at the cabinet meeting yesterday and the country will say

THE will of the late Miss Frances E. Willard has just been admitted to probate in Chicago. Her estate is valued at \$17,000 and eventually all of it goes to the work of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. The will was not written by a lawyer, but by Miss Wiltestament, after fifty-six years of my Heavenly Father's discipline and blessing to prepare me for better work hereafter (as I believe) in wonderful worlds unknown."

THE Chicago Inter Ocean calls attention to a truth that is daily forgotten in this plain statement: "The United States man-of-war Maine went to Havana as the representative of the whole power, majesty and dignity of the United States government. In the eyes of all nations recognizing the customs and precedents of international law she was entitled to the distinction and consideration which have been demanded invariably in recent centuries as in accord with such a representative character: raw cotton has had an encouraging ef-Her status differed from that of fect upon southern trade. Trade is the ordinary merchant vessel as larger than usual at the central west, completely as the status of Gen-boots and shoes, hardware, lumber and I:al Woodford in Madrid differs agricultural implements. Spring trade from that of the passing American tour- has opened up well in the northwest. t. These self-evident facts should be borne in mind by all persons seeking a 183 for five business days last week. 262 solution of the complications forced up- in the corresponding week of last year, on us by the destruction of the battle- 270 in 1896 and 252 in 1895. Business ship. They seem to need constant restatement, however, as they are lost sight of almost daily in the discussion of the disaster.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Chency for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their tirm. VEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists.

Toledoj O. Falding, Kinnan & Marvin, Whole-

cale Druggisis, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Circ is taken inter-

nally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best. Lucigert to Make Prison Sausages.

Chicago, March 5.—Luetgert has been told the task selected for him during his imprisonment. It is the intention of the Joliet penitentiary officials to manufacture sausage for use in the big prison, and Luetgert will be given charge of the work. The information pleases Luetgert.

Cooking Up Another Row for Spain.

London, March 5.-A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Hong Kong says the rebel chiefs there have received a letter from Manila soliciting their support for another rebellion against Spanish

The Planets.

Professor James E. Keeler of the Alleghany observatory, in a lecture declared that he did not believe that any of the sun's satellites, except the earth, are inhabited, although there is a remote possibility in the cases of Venus and Mars. He said: "Nothing can be seen on the surface of Mercury and only vague markings on the surface of Venus. Of Venus we know nothing, except that it has a dense atmosphere. In the case of Mars the evidence is not yet sufficient. We may suppose that in time the larger planets will be fitted for supporting life as the earth is now."

The Farmer In the Lighthouse.

A farmer had secured an appointment a lightkeeper in a Maine coast lightuse. The first night he went on duty lighted up promptly at dusk and at clock carefully extinguished the The next day, of course, there onble, and when he was taken to replied that he supposed 10 late enough to keep the he thought that all honbe in hed at that hour

Madrid, March &.-Commenting on the rumors of President McKinley's project to purchase Cuba, El Nacional, in an article under the caption "The Best Solution of the Cuban Problem," exclaims: 'Will nobody preach and proclaim the annexation of Cuba to the United States by agreement with Spain, on condition that the United States redeem us from the insular debt, favoring us during a certain period by a tariff concession and guarantee, under a powerful authority and a respected flag, the lives and property of Spaniards resident of Cuba? Behold a solution of the problem which would win popular sympathy, procuring the best termination of any forescen or present heart-burnings of the nation."

El Nacional argues that "American intervention aiready exists in the succor American warships have conveyed to the pacificos, formerly Spain's enemies." It says: "America will continue to fostor the rebellion; and if Spain does not find means to suppress the insurrection the pacific intermeddlings of the United States will soon become armed intervention, in which event it will be worth while to meditate as to the best means to protect the lives and property of residents in Cuba who are loyal to Spain.

"Radical autonomy or independence will menace Spain, sacrifice the lives and property of loyal Cubans and improbably to 3,000,000,000 pesctas. To obviate such a burden and to procure for loyal Cubans a solid guarantee for their lives and property should be Spain's first eignty, whose vagueness is rather fantastic. Either independence or radical autonomy will produce anarchy in the colony and lead to the extermination of everything Spanish and the ruination of the Spanish exchequer."

BUSINESS HAS A ROSEATE HUE.

Fentures Discovered by Bradstreet's That

Are Very Encouraging. New York, March 5.-Bradstreet's says: Nearly all signs point to an unprecedented volume of business being lard herself, as the opening paragraph done or arranging for at the present is proof: "This is my last will and time. The aggressive strength of prices. record-breaking bank clearings, and continued large exports, particularly of he lower-priced cereals, a very heavy volume of business in iron and steel and kindred lines, and generally satisfactory reports as to the volume and spring trade at leading distributive centers are among the visible features of this trade development. Nearly all of the country's cereal products are higher in prices this week, as also some varieties of provisions, Bessemer pig iron, copper, raw cotton and tin. The further advance in pig iron this week would seem to indicate that the immense current production is as yet without visible effect on values,

> The price of copper showed an advance of nearly 1 cent per pound during February. Few decreases in price are noted, sugar being the most important, while the list of staples steady and unchanged numbers pork, certee, lead and print cloths. The strength of

Business fallures in the United States for the week number 232, against failures in Canada aggregate 27. against 45 last week, 51 in this week of 1897, 66 in 1896 and 53 in 1895.

Thought They Could Buy Certificates.

Springfield, Ills., March 5 .- A sensational incident occurred at the examinations for hoisting engineers and fire bosses, which are now being held in were inclosed. The examiners resented of the responsibility of his high posi- their substance. the insult by calling the seventy-two applicants together and lecturing them for the conduct of the three. The names | efft he has derived from Paine's celery of the would-be bribers were kept se-

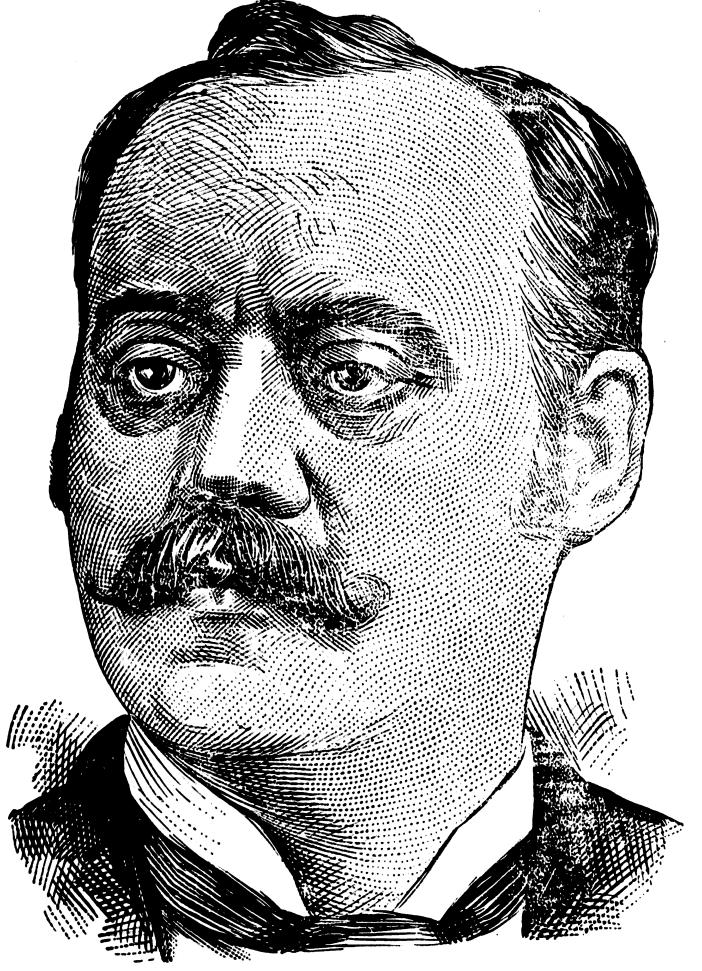
Heliday Will Be the Death of Rim.

Frankfort, Ky., March 5.-In accordance with the orders of the legislature the Emmett centennial was celebrated here by firing 100 guns. William Overton, who was assisting Arsenal Keeper Dixon in the firing of cannon, wasfatally injured by the premature explosion of the cannon, and Armorer Dixon was badly hurt. Overton's arms were each blown off, his eyes blinded and his body frightly mangled. Dixon had one hand blown off.

Don't fail to read the advertisement, how to get Rand MaNally & Co's New Atlas free, given in another part of this

MAYOR OF HARTEORD.

Has Experienced Wonderful Benefit from PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND



Mayor Miles B. Preston has been the nerves to remonstrate and fall in materials for making bone: in the brain wise administration, the municipality experienced its benefit I gladly com-has prospered, and today stands high mend it. MILES B. PRESTON. But among the leading cities of America.

Mayor Preston is the first chief magistrate of Hartford under the consoli-

tion and of his recommendations Mayor compound must carry more than ordinary weight in every home, where their body. there is need of recuperation, and of a remedy that is beyond any reasonable doubt reliable. This is what Mayor

Preston said: MAYOR'S OFFICE, Hartford, Conn. The modern man of business, be he ever so sturdy, finds often that the con-

Hartford's chief executive for two tone. At such a time Paine's celery and nerves it leaves other materials years. As a result of his economic, compound becomes of value. Having again for making nerve-matter and

thermometers of health. If the skin powerful lever which Paine's celery has spots, eruptions, an unhealthy pal- compound takes advantage of to make dated form of government, beginning a lor or a yellow appearance, and the the weak body strong, and to drive out new period in the municipality history of Connecticut's capital.

He began at the notion round of the blood and regulate the liver and kid-just that needed, appropriate food that this city. Three of the applicants for ladder less than 25 years ago, coming to neys. Paine's celery compound makes the overworked nerves are often too certificates attempted to bribe the Hartford without a business acquain- bright red blood and relieves the liver feeble to extract, unaided, from the state board of examiners by inclos- tance or a friend in the city. As a man and kidneys of the strain that is mass of food taken into the stomach. ing sums of money in the envelopes in of the people, but also a thoughtful brought upon them whenever impure Paine's celery compound increases the which the credentials of the applicants conservative official, fully conscious blood is constantly pouring through appetite and puts the digestive organs

There is every reason in the world

As even children are aware, there is kidneys, heart or stomach. blood all over the body. It is this blood which builds up the tissues that have been worn out. It carries all the cures stomach troubles, disordered livmaterials for restoring wasted and er, kidney disease, indigestion and all worn parts. To the muscles it gives unhealthy conditions that grow out of certain particular materials for making overworked, underfed nerves and tinued pressure of affairs has caused muscle; to the bones it gives up other organs.

But it takes rich, pure, highly vital-The skin and the eyes are two good ized blood to do all this, and this is the

into shape to pass the food over to the blood in such a perfectly prepared con-Preston's statement of the decided ben- why Paine's celery compound should dition that the change into nerve brain build up sickly people, increase their and tissue substance is easily and fully appetite and nourish every tissue in brought about, without waste of nervous energy or wear upon the liver,

EVENING

THE

ALTALANALANA A

Advertise

...In

NEWS

...And get **Best** Results...

The News has the largest bona fide subscription list of any daily paper published in this section the state...

Drimroses.

The Twin City Floral con pany has a large stock & Primroses ready for deliv-

CALL AND SEE **Cut Flowers**

Designs for Weddings Parties and Funerals a Specialty.

J. H. BRUMBY,

Cor. Elm and Eighth Sts.

W.W.CHESLEY The Clothing

..Renovator and Dyer..

110 Pipestone, Under Wallace Brosine. is now prepared to do all kinds of Cleaning and Repairing, both ladies' and gents'. First class work. Now is thise time to have your clothing put in order for winter. Overcoats and Suite nacto look like new. Try it and save price of a new suit.

DYEING A SPECIALTY. ALSO CARPETS CLEANED.

Take the News, 25c a Month





Asking For What He Wanted.

Two little tots of Hudson were kneeling at their mother's knee saying the Lord's Prayer The oldest one was repeating it after his mother, and when he reached the passage that reads, "Give us this day our daily bread,"

what was the mother's astonishment when the little tot exclaimed, "Hit him for a pie, Johnnie; hit him for a pie."—Sturgis (Mich.) Democrat.

Should Have Made an Exception. She-Don't you think Mrs. Wapsley

is a beautiful woman? He—She is a beautiful woman—the most beautiful woman, I think, that I

have ever seen. She (after he has gone)—I wonder if he has always been such a fool or whether it has just begun to grow on him lately. -Cleveland Leader.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
TakeLazativeBromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it falls to cure. 25c.
The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Do you know Dora Moore?

For Sale

Will take good driving horse in part | DENTON & Strain, the plumbers,

Frank J. Miller partment.

Hall's Drug Store..

Farmers and Merchan's ..BANK..

BENTON HARBOR, **Capital \$50,00**0. ONE ROBINSON.

Sarplus, \$50.000 CHAS. FOSTER, President R. M. JUNES, Vice Pres.

DIRECTORS—John Robinson, R. H. She wood, Villiam Stewart, A. Plummer, Edwin Brant, B. Hipp, R. M. Jones, W. P. Robbins and Tharles Foster.

De a General Banking Business ..Savings Department... Interest paid on Deposits.

MRS. LAURA ELDRED TEACHER OF

PIANO and ORCAN

I use the latest and most improved methods Wilcox.

STUDIO: GRAHAM BLOCK, Over Morrow & Stone's.

Mrs. L. M. Fitch ..HAIR EMPORIUM...

Latest Designs in Hair Jewelry.

All work artiscally made.

Pariors 7, Sweet Bl'k.

Gents' Crothing



CLEANED, **PRESSED** and REPAIRED.

.Walter Saunders Over Sheffield's Drug Store.



ne sending a sketch and description may ascertain our opinion free whether an on is probably patentable. Communicately confidential, Handbook on Patents

INN & CO 36 1 Breadury, New York Irabeb Origo, 456 P St., Washington, D. C.

REV. L. W. Earl will preach at Rescue Mission tomorrow evening.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

J. N. CHADDOCK was taken dangerously sick this morning but is recov-

THE meeting at the jail at 2:30 to-morrow will be in charge of the Y. M. C. A., Rev. L. W. Earl, leader. All are invited.

THIS morning Justice Cady sentenced Eli Brown to the county jail for disturbing the meeting of the Rescue dission. The boy pleaded guilty.

J. O. VAN HORN and the Misses Chadyick & Rehm have their stock moved to the Kinney building on West Main street and are all settled.

B. L. Hall has put in a large stock of steel ranges that are attracting much attention. In our advertising columns he has an excellent illustration of the

THE lecture on Loyola was omitted last Sunday evening and will be briefly treated tomorrow evening when Rev. George A. Sahlin will lecture on John Calvin, the Napoleon of theology, at the Universalist church.

CHARLES Broderick, the Riverside boy arrested for stabbing Willie Redlarski, was discharged in Justice Cady's Eight room house, \$900. Eight room house for \$1,200. Seven room house for \$1,000. Two good corner lots, \$400. Realarski had not been stabbed at all.

payment. What have you got to sell have purchased the bicycle repair shop or trade? I am open for anything, of M J. Henderson and the lines of Money to loan on good security at 6 per business will be consolidated. Mr. Henderson, who is an expert machinist, will have charge of the bicycle de-

REV. W. P. French will preach at the First Baptist church Sunday morning and Rev. L. M. Barnes will occupy the pulpit of the First Methodist church. The pastors of the various city churches are changing about and occupying the Baptist pulpit during the absence of the pastor, Rev. George B.

QUITE a little excitement was occasioned this morning by a runaway. A horse owned by Dr. Parker of St. Joseph broke loose on West Main street and ran up Seventh and then over to Pipestone and stopped on the sidewalk in front of Hotel Benton block. The wagon was torn in two and only the thills and two wheels accompanied the horse. Soule's grocery wagon and a coal wagon were run into.

Maccabees Will Entertain.

The L. O. T. M. and K. O. T. M. will Pipestone Street.. entertain at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Teetzel next Wednesday evening. The committee consists of Mrs. C. W. Teetzel, Mrs. A. Plummer, Mrs. Dr. Bostick, Mrs. C. K. Farmer, Mrs. A. L.

There will be a fine program, games and refreshments. "Look out for the

One large picture given away with a dozen cabinets at A. D. Lacy's photo

To Cure Countipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c If C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money

SKILLFUL TREATMENT,

The Drs. B. S. & Co. Physicians of the American Medical and Surgical Institute, will make their regular monthly visit to Benton Harbor where they may be seen at the Hotel Benton, We nesday, March 9, from 8 a. m. to 87. m. One day only. The doctors are meeting with gratifying success and we advise the afflicted to consult them on the above date. Their specialties are Chronic, Private and special diseases of men and women, and they give their entire attention to the treatment of these complaints. Health is as important as life and no invalid who values health can afford to lose this opportunity of obtaining skillful treatment. Consultation; free and strictly confidential.

The doctors will also be at St. Joseph Teesday, March 8, all day, and at Watervliet, Wolcott House, Thursday from 8 a. m. until 11 a. m., March 10.

Do you know Dora Moore?

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster, of Promise City, lowa, says; "I bought one hottle of 'Mystic ure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took" Sold by G. M. Bell & C. Druggists, Benton Harbor, 103 Main street.

The best wind mills, pumps and well supplies at right prices. Bicycles cheap and best for the money. All repairs at low prices during the dull season. Call and investigate. ORIN CYCLE Co., 145 Pipestone street.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY. FOR SALE-WINDOWS AND DOORS.

Second hand Also window frames A J

Merry, Fair Plain 64750

oldwysis) and well well and

People Who Attended the Musical at Conkey's Hail Last Night.

The short program given at Conkey's hall last evening under the auspices of the ladies' aid society of the Universalist church was excellent. The first number on the program was a piano duet by Mrs. F. B. Cary and Miss Zuma Soule, a pupil of Mrs. Cary's, which was very effective. Eva Guy gave two cunning recitations followed by the Misses Hansen in "The Hunters' Song," and they have never appeared to better advantage than last evening. They responded to a hearty encore. Mr. Kneeland played most charmingly a guitar solo and Miss Mericle, the talented elocution teacher of the college, gave a very fine character sketch and responded to an encore with a delightful little number which was a real symphony in words. Floyd Daigneau, one of Benton Harbor's favorite baritone soloists. sang "Last Night" and was heartily applauded but could not be induced to

The last number on the program was a little Newsboys' song a by Clyde Fields, Frankie Soule and Beryl Wood. They came on the stage each calling his own especial paper and clothed in the regulation uniform of rags and dirt that is universally adopted by newsboys in large cities. They made a great "hit," Clyde Fields singing several verses telling of some of their pranks, the boys joining in the chorus, and a storm of applause followed as Clyde closed the song with a prediction of what they would be when grown as

> Dick will be a famous man, Ned a city alderman, I will be, now let me see. I think—a Klondike man.

The composition is by H. W. Petrie, well known here as the son of Mrs. Dr. Stevens and the last verse was arranged by Mrs. Cary. Zuma Soule played the eccompaniment.

Mrs. F. B. Cary played the accompaniment for the other numbers, also furhished music for dancing.

40 Gems. 10 Cents.-Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills cure all troubles arising from torpor of the liver. Easy and quick-Barish Sick Heahache -Purify the blood and eradicate all impurities from the system. The demand is big The pills are little, easy to take, pleasant results, no pains. 40 in a vial 10 cents. Sold by Geo. M. Bell & Co.-58.

Cuba and the American Navy.

Wednesday evening, March 9 at 8 o'clock, the Rev. George A. Sahlin will deliver an illustrated lecture on Cuba and the American navy in the Universalist church. Actual photographs of the Maine, its officers and crew, of Cuba, of the warships of our navy will be thrown upon the screen. The leeture promises to be interesting and instructive. Notwithstanding the great expense the admission for adults will be 25 cents, children 10

Absolutely and permanently cured in 9 days by a new scientific and invigorating treatment. No publicity - no injections - no restraint. Can be given secretly. No "free treatment" scheme. For particulars address in strictest confidence R. A. GUNN, M.D.,

41 East 21st Street, New York City.

Warner & Summerill

Choice Meats

At all times...



M. WHITE ..Dentist

Jones & Sonner Block, Benton Harbor.

DAN GREEN STILL DOES ..DRAYING LEAVE ORDERS AT

Flour and Potatoes

Is Our War Cry Today

SATURDAY, MARCH

Wheat is advancing every day is price, and flour is keeping apace. our offerings at the old prices for today only.

Potatoes are way up and there is much complaint against buying this article of food by measure. The merchant always buys by weight and sells by measure. Today we will sell

Potatoes at 11-4c a lb.

Eggs per dozen

FLOUR PRICES

25 lb Sack of Rising Sun	49c
" 1b Sack of White Heather	55c
" 1b Sack of Wedding Bells	59c
" 1b Sack of Rosebud	60c
" 1b Sack of Spring Wheat	
XXXX Patent	65c
" 1b Sack of Never Fail	65c
" lb Sack of Gold Medal	75c
50 lb Sack of Rising Sun	8.99
" 1b Sack of White Heather	1.10
" 1b Sack of Wedding Bells	1.20
" 1b Sack of Rosebud	1.20
" 1b Sack of Spring Wheat	1.30
" lb Sack of Never Fail	1.25
" 1b Sack of Gold Medal	1.50
1 bbl of Rising Sun	3.90
1 bbl of White Heather	4.25
1 bbl of Wedding Bells	4.75
1 bbl of Rosebud	4.90
1 bbl of Spring Wheat	5.25
1 bbl of Never Fail	5.00
1 bbl of Gold Medal	5.75
	J. 2 J

C. J. BROWN'S

...GROCERY STORE

Is the Only Place in Benton Harbor Where You Can Buy the Celebrated

CHASE. & . SANBORN

..COFFEE..

Remember the Place

...C. J. Brown's Grocery Store



Bargains in Dry Goods

White checks and stripes, in Nainsooks, Lawns, Dimities, etc., at 4c, 6c, 8c, 10c, 12c, up to 22c, being a cut of one-quarter to a half price.

Curtain Mulls, 36 inch, dots, stripes and patterns, at 10½c.

200 yds. India Linen at 4½c and 8½c yd, in white and ecru.

40 inch Long Cloth going at 8½c and 11½c yd. Fancy Apron Mulls, drawn borders, at 9c, 10c and 16c.

Heavy White Cotton Duck at 8½c and 12½c.

Table Linen, German Damask, full bleached, satin finish, 65 inch, a fow pieces at 62c yd.

60 inch, half bleached Damask, extra heavy at 29c.

Fancy XX Outing Flannels, worth 12½c, going at 8½c yd.

1000 yds Embroidery, open work, heavy edges, choice at 4 1.2c yd.

1000 yas Embroidery, open work, heavy edges, choice at 11 1.2c yd.

2000 yds good bleached Muslin, 10 yds for 50c. 1000 yds good brown Muslin, 10 yds for 40c.

..Grocery Bargains..

10 chests choice Teas bought at forced sale from the Riegel stock, sold at 60c and 75c, during this sale you get 3 lbs. for \$1.00.

3-lb pail Pure Leaf Lard for 19c.

Golden Wax String Beans at 5c can.

5 lbs Granulated Sugar, 25c.

Our Coffees are not just as good but are superior to others at the same prices. Try them once.

CARPETS

WALL PAPER

E. W. MOORE, 131, 133, 135 Pipestone, Sweet Block

NOT VET VNOW

being four feet three inches thick. The Ezrison quarters are located in these casemates, the old plan being to place the artillery in the upper stories and this will be worn the old fashioned shepthe infanity below. The old defenses berdess but of Italian straw. Another consisted of thirty-two and forty-two | threatened revival is that of the mantle pounder guns, and one or two Parrotts | with long, square or rounded ends, loaded of 200 and 300 pounds. These four feet | with fluffy trimmings of lace, mousseline three inch walls and old style guns do soic and ribbons. These are to be made would be of little service in modern warfare, and such as remain are probably out of practical service by the quarantine uses to which Fort Jefferson has been put in recent years.

COURT RETURNS TO HAVANA.

Appears to Have Discovered Nothing by Its Koy West Investigation.

Key West, Fla., March 5.-After two postponements, ofits departure the court of inquiry left for Havana last evening the lighthouse tender Mangrove. It believed by the best informed here that the court will complete its labors in the Cuban capital within ten days. Only three of the six days the court was here were devoted to the work of investigation. The inactivity of Thursday and yesterday is still unexplained, except by a semi-official statement that Rear Admiral Sicard was awaiting instructions from Washington. The sessions, it is generally understood, develeped no evidence by which the court could definitely determine the cause of the explosion.

A naval officer in close touch with the members of the court said to this correepondent: "With one exception the witnesses who testified here were Maine survivors. The evidence, though in most cases taking longer to tell, can be summed up in the words of an enlisted man who, when Judge Advocate Marix asked him what he knew about the explosion, replied: 'Sir, I was blowed up. I was saved and I'm here.' That was all he could swear to."

One important fact has been learned. however. It is this: although the members of the court may have their individual theories they are by no means prepared as a body to render a decisive verdict. The officer already quoted said: "If the court has yet heard any testimony which would enable it to deolde intelligently that the Maine was blown up from external causes I am the

most mistaken man in the world. Before the coming Havana sessions are over it may secure such evidence, and possibly find the blowing up was intentional. It will learn from the divers the actual condition of the ship after the explosion, as it has already learned from the survivors most of the details of the ship's condition before the explosion. With those bases thoroughly established the court will hear more expert theoretical testimony and then

reach a verdict." This statement can be taken as more worthy of reliance than that of the Maine officer, who said the other day he believed the court was bound on eviexplosion external. Its consercially those of the younger s intentionally blown up. and blue coq feathers.

1 lb package Soda, 5c.

Revivals of Past Styles For Present Fash-

There is talk of reviving the double skirt for next season, the second skirt to be lightly draped over the first. With of the gown, or even of the same material as the gown.

Jackets of thin cloth are embroidered, braided or trimmed with passementeric. Short capes are also of thin cloth or of silk and are very short and trimmed with lace



or mousseline de soie. The collar is always of the valois form and is encircled by a torsade of ribbons with a bow behind, which is secured by a jet, steel or jeweled ornament. Blouse jackets are becoming less and less full, the back being usually quite close and plain.

For traveling gowns, the season for which is rapidly approaching, cloth, serge, rough plaid wools, covert cloth and cheviot are employed. They are simply made and decorated with flat trimming. For wraps the rough cape of heavy cloaking, unlined, tism. It gave immediate relief and she was is still a favorite. The material, of different color on the two sides, is thick enough to make a lining unnecessary, and the fringe of the goods itself is usually the only trimming. An ample hood finishes the cape. Cloth of plain color on one side cloth having both sides of plain but differ-

The illustration shows a neat traveling cation of blue velvet and black military Ford, G. P. A., St. Louis, Mo. braid. The close, plain coat bodice is similarly adorned and closes in the middle also at variance with the with a double line of black passementerie actio, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To

The Drs. B. S. & Co. Physicians of the American Medical and Surgical Institute, will make their regular monthly visit to Benton Harbor where they may be seen at the Hotel Benton, Wednesday, March 9, from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. One day only. The doctors are meeting with gratifying success and we advise the afflicted to consult them on the above date. Their specialties are Chronic, Private and special diseases of men and women, and they of black silk or of silk matching the color give their entire attention to the treatment of these complaints. Health is as important as life and no invalid who values health can afford to lose this opportunity of obtaining skillful treatopportunity of obtaining skillful treatment. Consultation; free and strictly Interest paid on Time Deposits confidential.

The doctors will also be at St. Joseph Tuesday, March 8, all day, and at Watervliet, Wolcott House, Thursday from 8 a. m. until 11 a. m., March 10.

Do you know Dora Moore?

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmester, of Promise City, Iowa, says; "I bought the bottle of 'Mystle Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine lever took" Sold by G. M. Bell & C. Druggista, Benton Harbor. 108 Main street.

For Sale.. or Will Trade

Good business property in Bloomington, Ill., a city of 30.000. Also a farm of 40 acres for city property. What have you got?

H. B. VOLHEIM,

Bowman block.

Photographs of the wrecked City of Duluth 25 cents each at A. D. Lacy's photo car.

The Enterprise laundry is now ready for business. Try them for fine work.

INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM CURED IN 3 DAYS.

Morton L. Hill. of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had Inflammatory Rheumatism in every muscle and joint, her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recogniti n: had been in bed for six weeks and had eight physicians but received no benefit able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by G. M. Bell & Co., Druggists, 103 Main street, Benton Harbor.

Through Tourist Pullman Sleeper

For points in Kansas, California, Ariand plaid on the other is much seen; also zona and New Mexico will leave Indianapolis via the Vandalia Line each Wednesday until further notice. For rates, reservations and full informacostume of dark military blue cloth. The tion apply to nearest ticket agent of skirt is ornamented in front by an appli- the Vandalia Line, or to Mr. E. A.

Don't Tobacco Spit and simoke sour Life Away. cially those of the younger tions at the wrists, and the turned down coller is faced with velvet. The gray straw trong. All druggists as or St. Cure guarantee Maine survivors that hat is trimmed with blue velvet and gray teed. Booklet and maple free. Address and him con feathers.

& Co. BANKERS.

Buy and Sell Exchange Discount Approved Paper Sell Foreign Passage Tickets

Receive Deposits

SECRET SOCIETIES

TRIBE OF BEN HUR, HARBOR COURT No. 2, meets alternate Monday nights, be ginning April 12. EARL HEMINGWAY, Chief,

LADIES CIRCLE G. A R., REGULAR meetings second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 2:30 p m., in G. A. R. hall NELLIE L. WARD, President. HELEN CLARK. Secretary.

BENTON DIVISION. COURT NO.1, ORDER of Patricians, meets every Friday evening in Modern Woodmenhall. All visiting Patric-

ians cordially invited

EDGAR P. WHALEN, Justice. B. J. MORRISON, clerk.

K NIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON
Tent, No. 104. meet at Odd Fellows' hal
Regular review every Friday evening.
W. SHANKLAND, Comp.
R. P. CHADDOOR, F. K. L. N. MURRAY, R. K.

BENTON LODGE NO. 133, I. O. O. F., MEETE every Tuesdayevening at 7;30 o'clock in their lodge room opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited.

ORA G. BERKEY, N. G.

B. O. Johnson, Sec'y. Marquette Lodge, D. of R., meets every alternate Saturday evening. Mrs. Lizzie Hepler, N.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—BANNER
Camp No. 40 commencing April 30, meet
every other Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at
G. A. R. hall on West Main street, Visiting
sovereigns will be cordially received.

John F. Gerling, Consul Commander

A D. LACY, Clerk,

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA, IVY Leaf Camp No 901 meets every Monday evening at the Woodmen Hall on West Mair street, Visiting Woodmen will be cordially entertained.

B. L. HALL V. C.
N. G. WENELL Clerk.

BENTON HOME FORUM, 389, MEETS THE second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at Modern Woodmen hall. Visiting

companions always welcome

N. G. Wennell, president.

MRS. CANNIE SILVER, secretary.



This great remedy CURES all Nervous Diseases such as Weak Memory, Loss of Brain Power, Loss Manhood, Nightly Emissions, Evil Dreams; and strengthens the Generative Organs of either sex that may be impaired through youthful errors, which soon lead to Consumption and INBANITY. Sold with a guarantee to cure, or money refunded. So per box six for \$5.* Easily carried in vest pocket. Write us for FREB BOOK and TESTIMONIALS. Ask our Druggists for them; take no other.—Or address MERVE DROP OO. GRAND RAPIDA. MIDE

Rounds, Warner CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RAILWAY

In effect Dec. 1, 1897.

GEO. DEHAVEN, Gen. Pass. Agt., Grand Rapto-JAS. MAHONEY, Agt.. Benton Harbor.

THE BIG FOUR.

C. C. C. & ST. L. RAILWAY. MICHIGAN DIVISION. No. 23 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a. m. fc

Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 25 leaves at 1:00 p. m. fo Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. mediate points. No. 27 leaves at 5:00 p. m. Ell hart accommodation. Arrive at Benton Habor: No. 28. 8:50 a. m. No. 22, 3:10 p. m. N 91, 8:40,

VANDALIA LINE. Taking effect Sept. 28, 1897

South bound No. 15 No. pm & No. 15 10 3 5 45 11 0 6 12 11 2 7 00 12 0 2 2 5 4 6 3	North No. 6. No. 6. No. 6. p m St. Joseph 2 15 Baroda 1 51 Galien 1 34 South Hend 12 53 Logansport 10 36 Indianapolis 7 16 Terre Haute 6 20	bound No. 1. a m 9 15 8 42 8 16
p n	a m	

All trains daily except Sunday. For complete time card giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rate. through cars etc. address E. A. FORD, Gen. Pass. Agt., St. Louis, Mo ANK R. HALE. Agent St. Joseph, Mich.

Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus Railway Co.

TIME TABLE. Effective Sunday. December 5, 1897.

Going South No. 3 No. 1 No. 2 No. Daily Daily Lv Ben. H'rbr Ar 11 20 6 4 a m 7 00 Royalton Hinchman Berrien Springs 10.28 6 (6 Oakland *10.26 *5.56 Oakland *10 26 *5 56 Ar Buchanan Lv 10 00 5 35 *Stop on Signal only

Connections—No. 1 with M. C. No. 21 west No. 4 with M. C. No. 14 east. No. 2 with M. C. No. 6 east and C. & W. M. No. 1 south. No. 4 with C. & W. M. No. 4 south and No. 3 north.

Benton Harbor Depot-E. Territorial Street L. O. SCHAEFER, General Agent. F. E. DICKINSON, Gen. Frt. & Pass. Agi

Dr. Freemyer, Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon Specialist of years of experience in the treatment of diseases of the human system in al their various forms. Hemorrhoids, tumors and their various forms. Hemorrhoids, tumors and Fistulas removed without pain. All diseases et the Pelvic and Rectal organs treated and cure; no matter how long standing. Don't give up be cause you have been told there is no help for you but consult the doctor. Office No. 167, cernor Washington and Ross streets. Hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4. All calls will receive prompt at tention. Correspondence solicited with return stamp for reply.

MRS. DR. H. A. FREEMYER Practice limited to diseases of Women and Children. Office, corner Washington and Moss streets. Office hours 9 to 11 and 3 to 4. We make the study and practice of medicine and surgery a beginning exclusively.

Advertise

...In

THE **EVENING NEWS**

...And get **Best** Results...

The News has that largest bona fide subscription list of any daily pa per published in this section the state...

AN INNOVATION IN RAILROADING

A Parlor-Cafe Car Now Running on Day light Special of Illinois Central between Chicago and St. Louis.

The Illinois Central has substitutely for the parlor car, formerly running. its day train between Chicago and Louis, a new composite parlor-cafe d built for the Company at the Pullr Shops especially for service on its favestibule, solid "Daylight Specia train to St. Louis. The parlor, in th Empire style, is finished in mahogan with darker panels of the same, the latter being richly inlaid with marque ry composed of various shaded wood Its furnishing includes easy, luxurio revolving arm-chairs, upholstered win green frieze plush. The ceiling ovel head(in which are fixed brilliant Pintsd gas chandeliers of the latest patter are decorated in gold, and in color ar design are in harmony, as also is the rich Wilton carpet on the floor b neath, with the plush and mahogar, finish of the rest of the room. cafe is in general design and col scheme in harmony with the parld and has tables at which parties of commay be scated, and tables at which couples can dine tete-a-tete. A co plete kitchen adjoins the cafe, meals will be served en route fron varied menu at reasonable prices; tasicafe feature to be conducted in tors same general way for patrons of t" entire train as are the cafe cars on ti Central running West out of Colicagra-and which have proved so popular. Telfcar also contains a gentleman's smoto

a buffet from which cigars and lique refreshments can be obtained. T car as a whole is of substantial construction and elegant finish. The fe ures of this car are particular adapted to Hot Springs, Ark., the the Daylight special leaving Children and the Cartesian Children and the Cartesian Children and the Cartesian Children and the Cartesian Children and Cartesian Children and Cartesian Children and Cartesian Children Children Cartesian Children Cartesian Children Children Cartesian Children Children Cartesian Children Chil every forenoon, making the run to Louis in eight hours, and giving connection in Union Station with the for Hot Springs.

In order to make room for our immense line of Gasoline Stoves and Bicycles we will close out our entire line of

Heating Stoves at Cost

We carry the finest line of Coal and Wood Heaters in the city and if you want one now is the time to buy.

W. H. BAKER



COAL and

..TE! EPHONE 195. OFFICE: Opposite G. & M. Dock, across the canal.

Orders left in the evening at C. J. Brown's will receive prompt attention.

Always Satisfied..

ROCERY customers who trade with Michael U & Beeny know what it is to be always satisfied. If we don't have the goods that will please, why we plainly say so and never send articles you do not want. That's the secret of our success.

Michael & Beeny

Near Corner of Britain and Pipestone ...

GOLD - ALASKA - GOLD

DO YOU WANT IT? YOU CAN GET IT AND REMAIN AT HOME. 200 BANKERS ARE AFTER IT. THEY KNOW A GOOD THING. SO SHOULD YOU. WE HAVE GOT IT--GOLD, Yes, Millions of It, in Our Mines. We Have the Steamships, Boats, Mines and Machinery....

Our 200 and Over Incorporating Bankers and Capitalists Makes This One of the Strongest Companies Ever Incorporated. Send for Copy of Company's Charter and Prospectus Giving Their Names and Addresses.

Rimes·Invested ·Now Will Be Commanding Dollars Within a Year.

Onick Action Necessary-Chance of a Lifetime.

For Rates. Low as Any, Reservations, Passenger and Freight, and for Reliable Information Relative to Alaska, Apply to or Address

America-Alaska Transportation & Mining Co. 134 Monroe Street, CHICAGO, ILL.

PLEASE MENTION PAPER.

..TO THE

ake Your Work



City Steam Laundry

The Largest and Best@Equipped ..in Southern Michigan

The Weather Has Changed

CALL ON THE

UNION JCE & COAL COMPANY

for your winter's COAL Lehigh Valley, Authracite and all kinds of Soft Coal

Hard and Soft Wood Always on Hand. LEAVE ORDERS AT A. H. CONKEY & SON'S GROCERY STORE Telephone 175

In a Case Similar to That in Which Gov. Mount, of Indiana, Was Beaten.

BAKER'S DEATH TO BE AVENGED

If There Is Power in the United States to Avenge It -- Question on Trial Is Whether an American Citizen Is Entitled to Pro- Northwest Territory. tection in His Own Country, and Can gress Briefly Told.

Washington, March 5.—The cabinet vesterday paid more attention to the case of the butchery of Postmaster Baker and his family at Lake City, S. C., than any other subject, and it was decided to increase the government reward for the capture of the miscreants who did the deed to \$1,500 in each case. A report on the case was presented by Post-master General Cary, and the action taken by the cabinet in the offering of rewards for the apprehension and conviction of the guilty persons is said to be the most energetic ever agreed upon by any administration in a similar case. It is probable that the postoffice department will detail other inspectors to assist those now on the field in ferreting out the murderers, and the large amount of reward offered, it is thought, will induce private detectives to work

Uncle Samuel Has Jurisdiction. It is said that Attorney General Griggs holds to the opinion that the federal government will have jurisdiction over the murderers when captured unless they are first taken by the state authorities. Baker, it is said, was an officer of the government in the discharge of his duty and the attack on him was similar to an attack on a deputy marshal or other official. Postmaster General Gary expresses the determination to do everything in his power to ascertain the identity of the guilty parties. In response to inquiries he made public the following statement in regard to the case. "The department is in possession of a preliminary report from its representatives in regard to this sad tragedy, from which a few details may be given. The widow of the murdered postmaster has been interviewed and her story in brief is about as follows:

Story of Baker's Widow.

"They were awakened some time in the early morning by the smell of fire and smoke, and upon rising found that the house was in flames. Baker attempted to extinguish the fire, but soon discovered that this would be impossible. He then told his wife that he would go to the door and call for help. As soon as he opened the door the firing began and a storm of bullets struck the door and house. Mrs. Baker said that her husband then fell on his knees and prayed for protection. The heat and became so unbearable at length that they could no longer remain in the house. On again appearing at the door they were greeted with another volley

THAT WEYLER IS SUCH A BRUTE. Lets Talk About Him, or the Weather or

Any Other Old Thing,

"The first one of the family to be killed was the baby inits mother's arms, a bullet striking it in the side. Mrs. Baker saw the wound and told her husband that the baby was kiled. A second later he fell back against her, dead. She and the other children were struck by the bullets at this time, or just as they escaped from the building. Mrs. Baker had the younger girls with her when they got out, and they ran until they were exhausted and fell down. The older girls went into a neighboring field and remained there until they heard no more sounds from the vicinity of their old dwelling. Late at night all found shelter at the house of some of their colored friends. The mother and children say they saw men standing about he trees and bushes near the house. but were unable to recognize any one,

"Mrs. Baker is reported to be a small, frail woman, about 25 years of age. She has a gunshot wound in the left forearm and the bones are fractured. Rosa, the oldest daughter, aged about 16 years. received a gunshot wound which broke the bone above the left elbow. Cora, the next girl, was shot in the right hand and wrist. A son, about 11 years of age, has one serious wound in the abdomen and another wound in the right forearm, both bones being broken and badly shattered. His condition is serious, and he is not expected to live. Two very young girls, completing the fam-

ily, escaped unhurt. "It is needless for me to add that the administration, together with all good citizens of the country in whatever section they may reside, fully appreciate the enormity of the crime which has been committed not only against this unoffending man and his family, but against the government as represented by the postmaster, and I assure you that the postoffice department, in co-operation with the department of justice, will do everything in its power to apprehend and convict the men who committed this terrible outrage. Both of the departments mentioned are using every means in their power to the end that justice may be meted out to the

HOMESTEAD LAWS FOR ALASKA.

Senate Passes the Bill-House Sends Two Appropriations Through.

Washington, March 5 .- After a debate lasting several days the senate late yesterday afternoon passed the bill extending the homestead laws and providing for right-of-way for railroads in the district of Alaska. Comparatively little discussion of general interest was created by the bill. Section 13, providing for certain bonding concessions to Canada in lieu of privileges to be extended by the Dominion government to this country, however, induced a pretty lively debate, as it brought into the controversy the old fisheries question on the New England coast, which has been pending between the United States and Great Britain for a hundred years. The statement was made on the floor of the senate that there was every reason to believe that by the passage of the bill the fisheries question could be settled without great effort, as assurances to

that effect had been received from a large and influential element in Canada. Adjourned to Monday.

The concessions demanded from Can**ada for** the bonding privilege are set out in the section as follows: That Canada shall consent to and allow the entry free of duty of all miners' outfits and a supply of provisions and clothing, the whole not exceeding in quantity 1,000 pounds, for each citizen of the United States proposing to engage in mining In British Columbia or the Northwest Territory; that Canada shall remove all unequal restrictions as to the issue of miners' licenses to all citizens of the United States operating or intending to operate in British Columbia or the

Also that fishing vessels of the United Get It - Proceedings in the National Con- States having authority under the law of the United States to touch and tradat any port or ports, place or places, in the British dominions of North America shall have the privilege of entering such port or ports, place or places for the purpose of purchasing balt and all other supplies and outfits in the same man ner and under the same regulations : may exist therein applicable to trading vessels of the most favored nations an of trans-shipping their eatch to be transported in bond through said Dominion without payment of duties in the same manner as other merchandis destined for the United States may be thus transported. Washington, March 5,--Two more ap-

propriation bills were sent to the pres-

filent yesterday—the pension bill and the consular and diplomatic, both of which went through their final stage in the house. It was private bill day. The most important action taken was ac quiesence in an agreement to make the bill appropriating about \$1,200,000 for war claims approved by the court of claims under the provisions of the Bowman act a special order for next Friday. The claims carried by the bill are for stores and supplies seized during the war in the southern states. Only two private bills was passed yesterday. At the night session thirty-two pension bills and nine relief bills were passed. among them was one to pension Jas. B. Rawlins, a son of General John A. Rawlins, at the rate of \$30 per month. Mr. Rawlins suffers from epliepsy and is incapable of earning a livelihood. Adjourned to Monday.

EFFECT OF THE EVANS BILL.

Officials the Measure Would Remove from Civil Service Lists.

Washington, March 5.-The civil service commisssion has prepared for sublaw of the Evans bill now, pending in the house. This bill removes from the operation of the law all positions now in the classified service below the \$900 and above the \$1,800 grade, besides limiting its application in other respects. According to the commission there are now 688 postoflices in the classified service, with 26,000 employes, 636 of which, with 13,000 employes, would be withdrawn if the bill were passed. The number of custom houses the force in which is now classified would be reduced from 103 to 6.

The employes of the following-named bureaus of the executive departments would be withdrawn from the service under the operations of Evans' bill: The steam inspection service, the marine hospital service, the lighthouse establishment, the life-saving service, all the assay offices, the revenue cutter service and in addition several positions classified by President Arthur when the present law went into effect. The total number of employes now in the classified service is 84,240-54,345 of whom would be taken out by the operation of the Evans bills. Of those remaining 5,-863 are in Washington and 24,124 in other cities.

Bronze Tablet to Edward L. Baker.

Springfield, Ills., March 5.—The bronze tablet inscribed to the memory of Edward L. Baker, late consul of the United States at Buenos Ayres, by his friends in the Argentine Republic, has arrived in this city from New York. It was brought by the steamer Merrimae. The tablet will be set in stone and placed upon the late consul's grave in Oak Ridge cemetery.

Anglo-German Loan Is Ratified. London, March 5.- The Pekin correspondent of The Times says the Anglo-German lean of \$16,000,000 has been ratified by imperial decree.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Evan Lewis has challenged Yousouf, the Turkish wrestler.

Lyman J. Gage has sold his residence at Chicago, the consideration being \$50,-

"Norsk Kvindestemmeretsforening" is the name of the woman's suffrage society of Norway.

News from San Jose, Costa Rica, indicates that war between Costa Rica and Nicaragua is unavoidable. Steps have been taken at San Diego,

Cal., to promote the candidacy of U. S. Grant for the United States senate. It is estimated that the output of ore from the Gogebic range next summer

will be from 2,600,000 to 2,700,000 tons. There isn't a saloon between Florence, Ala., and Paducah, Ky., on the banks of the Tennessee river, a distance of 300

Dangers of Constipation Avoided by Using Royal Tea.

Constinution is the origin of so many diseases and so much suffering that a remedy for this trouble is most essential in every household. For the cure of this trouble alone Royal Tea has already become famous. It not only cares Constipation and regulates the bowels, but is an excellent tonic for young or old of either sex and should have a place in every home. It will build up and trengthen every tissue of the body, cleanse and purify the blood, restore the stomach and liver to healthy action, produce a perfect digestion, and preyent and cure the many ills that so constantly menace the health and good looks of men and women.

Half pound package \$1 00, small size 50 cents. Take no substitute.

A free trial package with full particulars sent by mail. Address, South Bend Remedy Co., South Bend, Indiana. Sold by Druggists. Sold by Geo. M. Bell & Co.

"Glasses fitted by Dr. Antisdale fit."

New Firm Crin

McGuigan & McDonald

Lumber Co.

Have just bought the R. R. Blacker stock of

LUMBER, LATH and SHINGLES

Also Sash and Doors

With this stock added to their present stock of Lum. ber enables them to furnish a tumber bill complete out of well seasoned stock and will be pleased to furnish estimates on any kind of a lumber bill.

Lumber Office in Stock Exchange, East Main St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

Make No Mistake

UNDERTAKING Call on me. My stock of Cas-

kets is complete and prices Office and Residence, 134 Pipestone

St., Upstairs. A. J. YOUNGS

NATE GIFFORD'S FOR FINE TURNOUTS



Is only one of the many pretty things we manu-meture. We make all kinds of fancy wood or-naments which add so much to the appearance

W. H. Berkheiser

most complete wood working establish ment in Southern Michigan.

Evening News

25c a Month

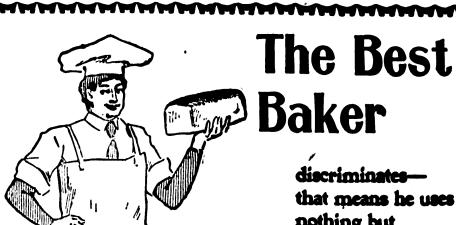
nocharge, if we fail to curo. If you have taken mercury, icelido putash, and still have aches and pains, Munous Pierches in mouth, Sore Throat. Pimples, Copper Colored Spots, Ulcers cany part of the body, Indicor Eyebrows failing out, it is this Secondary BLOOD POISON we guarantee to cure. We solicit the most obstinate cases and challenge the world for a case we cannot cure. This disease has always builted the skill of the most emineut physicians. \$500,000 capital behind our unconditional and a state of the interpretation of the approximation.

Benton Fuel Co. FRED A. HOBBS, Proc. T. T. HOBBS, VICE Proc. W.H. POUNDSTONE, Sec.

...Dealers in

PROMPT DELIVERYGOOD COAL

TELEPHONE, 118. OFFICE, G. & M. Building, Water Street, YARDS, Highland Ave., Benton Harbor, Mich



that means he uses nothing but

Washburn, Crosby's

Gold Medal Flour....

117 CARLOADS THE DAILY OUTPUT. The finest there is. It insures good results. At all grocers.

Washburn, Crosby Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

<u> Нимимимимимимимимимими</u>

YOUNGANDOLD

STRANDED WRECKS. He died of no disease known to medical sciences ne simple faded away—WEAKER, MORE NERVELESS, AND HOPELESS, day by day. Who is to blame? The UNHAPPY VICTIM drags out a miserable life, or SINKS INTO AN UNTIMELY GRAVE, for the want of TREATMENT. He has been humbugged by Fraud Remedies and SO-CALLED FREE OURES. We Challenge the WORLD. So write us to-day with Stamp for our Testimonials and FREE BOOK. Also-statements from our Leading Druggists on the merit of this Great Remedy. THE ELIXIR OF YOUTH cures all NERVOUS DISEASES, such as WEAK MEMORY, Loss of Brain Power, Lost Vitality, NIGHTLY EMISSIONS. EVALUATION OF THE STANDARD STANDARD STANDARD OF THE STANDARD STANDARD

THE GERMAN HOSPITAL REMEDY CO. GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., U. For Sale by J. A. SHEFFIELD & SON. 115 Pipestone St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

Reserved seat tickets for the annual college Junior play, "Hamlet," for sale at Bird's drug store.

THE EVENING NEWS 25 CENTS A

the popular dry goods rly of Puterbaugh & Rapp, of Rapp & Co., bas purchased interest in the Ferry department ore and the new firm will be known se Ferry & Rapp.

Messrs. Ferry & Rapp are both good business men and they will increase the present excellent trade enjoyed by this store. A carpet department has been added to the store.

Mr. Rapp sold out his interest in Rapp & Co., March 1 and this morning began business at the new stand.

EASTERN CUSTOM.

Good Plan to Introduce it in Benton

dren in the east is known as "Anniversary Day," when the scholars of the denomination assemble at the respective churches and at a given time and place meet for a grand parade where they are reviewed by the city officers and other public officials, after which they return to their schools and are served with refreshments.

This generally takes place in the lat-

ter part of May and is a general holiday. Much interest is displayed by each school in the number of pupils in line and each class use their efforts in securing banners which add to the general appearance of the school.

At the head of each school it is customary to have a large bunner with the name of the school and to carry this banner is considered a great mark of distinction. Those who carry the of distinction. Those who carry the The Current Events club will meet class banners are the ones who have at the usual place next Monday evenmade the best record for attendance. ing. Special words and music are written each year for the occasion and furnished at a nominal cost and it is rehearsed a few Sundays before the event takes place and are sung at the place of Morrison Bros. Opened Their New Shoe inspection and also at the schools after

Why not let our Sunday school super-intendents get together and arrange for such an event here?

DOG MAY DIE.

Yesterday afternoon while C. K.

C. E. Femer's Valuable Dog Falls Into Bad Hands.

Irish setter "Hiawatha" was lying quietly on Mr. Sahlin's front porch when one of Dr. Strickland's dogs came up and engaged in a quarrel with the dog and they both left the porch going into the pard when another of Dr. Strickland's dogs, (a bulldog), jumped on Mr. Farmer's dog and coma savage fight and in eantime another neighbor's resting for Mr. Farmer's dog served in the regular army at the subject, "I have pulled on my coat, how shall I san Carlos Indian Agency for sevenal years drilled the company at last drill

Morring prayer and sermon at 10:30 a m Evening service at 7 p m Service on Monday at 4:15

next drill.

The regular drill of the Alger Guard

will take place Thesday night with an

output the much difficulty and not until the

ulldog had terribly bitten and torn against the three. As soon the house and separated the dogs, but next drill. with much difficulty and not until the bulldog had terribly bitten and torn the setter. Mr. Farmer took his dog home and called Dr. Johnson, the veterinary surgeon, who dressed the wounds but pronounced them dangerous. On one shoulder the flesh is torn open about four inches, while under the front leg on the opposite side two gashes about six inches long appear. besides the leg being bitten through ination for village offices: President, the muscles and in different places all Mel Smith: clerk, D. B. Prince: treasover the body.

Mr. Farmer has several times refused \$300 for his dog. Mrs. Strickland was bome alone at the time and felt as badly as Mr. Farmer over the affair.

Through Chicago Wire.

Buchman Record: A party of the Fostal Telegraph company finished the connection yesterday for a through Chicago wire for Benton Harbor via Buchanan and Hammond, Ind. A new switchboard will be put in at the Postal's office in this place to accommodate the additional wires that have been placed in position.

Rev. Sahlin's New Stereopticon.

The Rev. George A. Sahlin has purchased a very fine stereopticon with a fine collection of views and will deliver a lecture illustrated with these views at the Universalist church next Wednesday evening. This lantern is of the most modern design and the electric are light will be used which brings out each detail on a screen about fourteen feet in diameter life size.

The title of the lecture will be "Cuba and the American Navy," and it is not necessary to state that it will be inter-

Spring Humors, boils, pimples, sores all eruptions are promptly cured Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thorghly purifies the blood, eradicating ry trace of scrofula.

cod's Pills cure nausea, sick headbiliousness and all liver ills. 25 cents.

a New Rand McNally Atlas and

THE WHEAT MARKET.

Mar. 5—Comparative clos-

CHICKGO! mar.	Complete Const
g prices on whea	t for two days.
\$ 100 TO 100	Mar. 4 Mar. 3
Mary - Albiton	1.04# 1.06
Willy	114 BUS 814
Intember	18 18
Lamber	771
March	284 294
167	30 1 30 1
The Contract of the Contract o	314 321 321
	261 261
A CONTRACTOR	ogi ogi

Theat Market. Owens offered the fol-

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

What Beston Harbor's People and Societies Are Doing,

Gore, on Green avenue, Friday after- and for a time his recovery appeared to noon. A pleasing program on Scotch be doubtful; in fact he was so bad that poetry and song was given. The first some of the organs almost refused to number after the roll call, responses work, and it was with the greatest difand reading of the minutes was a paper ficulty that he was enabled to pass his on the poems of Scott, by Mrs. F. W. urine. It is interesting to know that Sessions, followed by the recitation of Lochinvar, by Mrs. Thresher; three plorable state of health, and that his oral sketches of Scotch poets with service recovery is entirely due to his having lections were given as follows: Thomp- taken the treatment of Dodd's Kidney son, by Mrs. S. M. Kelley; Johanna Pills.

Baillie, by Mrs. G. M. Bell, and the Ettrick Shepherd, by Mrs. O. Wilde; a aged, having been treated by physicians beautiful duet was most charmingly and having tried almost every adversung by Mesdames Reed and S. A. tised remedy without having received Bailey: Mrs. F. B. Christopher read the least benefits. At last he heard of Fitz Halleck's tribute to Burns: the Dodd's Kidney Pills and their cures, paper on minor Scottish bards, was and resolved to try them. He says he prepared by Mrs. James Baley and read began to improve from the first dose, by Mrs. J. N. Reed. At the business and now after taking five boxes he is An old established custom and one meeting the club voted to take up the entirely cured of his ailments. Dodd's enjoyed by all the Sabbath school chil-study of Spain and Italy for the next Kidney Pills are a never-failing cure year's work.

Kidney Pills are a never-failing cure for Bladder and Kidney Diseases.

The social meeting of the L. O. T. Sabbath schools of each city and each M. that was to be held next Thursday Dropsy. They are equally efficient in has been postponed.

> Mrs. Dan Green entertained about disordered Kidneys. thirty of her friends last evening at her home, 134 Broadway. The evening was pleasantly spent. Dainty refreshments were served.

F. Morley went to Fennville today on

Sheriff Ferguson went to Watervliet today on business.

In town today: Charles Gleason, Sodus; C. C. Bell, Bangor: William Price. Hartman: O. O. Wilde, Ed Stewart. W. A. D. Rose, Benton.

MODEL STORE.

Store Today.

John and Bert Morrison, under the firm name of Morrison Bros., opened their new shoe store at 102 Water street today and they certainly have every reason to be proud of their new

The counters have been removed and the whole interior has been painted white and with the large white rugs on the floor in front of handsome manog-Farmer was calling on the Rev. George any settees it makes a very pretty effect. The display windows have been A. Sahlin at his residence, his valuable blocked in with plate glass mirrors and with the line shoes mounted on plate: glass and oxidized supports one would imagine he was standing in front of a store on State street, Chicago.

The lady visitors who called at the store today received a pretty carnation and the gentlemen a Columbia cigar.

ALGER GUARD NOTES.

will take place Tuesday night with an extra drift possibly Thursday.

Two Tickets in Galien.

Galien Advocate: At the Union caucus called at the town hall Monday the following persons were placed in nomination for village offices: President, arer, J. P. Jones; assessor, Frank Burrus. Trustees, two years. John Hamilton, L. G. Bissell and Will Mell.

At the town hall Tuesday afternoon the republicans placed in nomination the following candidates: President, J. D. White; clerk, A.J. Glover; treasurer, S. C. Penwell; assessor, George Pierce: trustees, two years. R. W. Montross, George Minster, J. P. Rees; caucus ommittee, C. A. Clark, George Minlster, M. J. Lvon.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All drug gists refund the money if it falls to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. P. on each tablet

No-To-tiae for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes went new strong, blood once 500 \$1 All druggists

Bicycles are going at cost at Burk hard's this week.

Lister's Bone Meal.

This famous bone meal which has stood the test of years may be obtained by leaving orders with H. P. Boehm, Benton Harbor, or with the general agent.

C. H. FARNUM, Hagar.

Beauty In Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

If you want a nne finish on your goods and a perfect fitting neck band no to the Enterprise laundry. 1603



For Sale.. or Will Trade

Good business property in Bloomington, Ill., a city of 30,000. Also a farm of 40 acres for city property. What have you got?

H. B. VOLHEIM. Bowman block.

The second secon

Photographs of the wrecked City of Duluth 25 cents each at A. D. Lacy's photo car.

The Enterprise laundry is now ready for business. Try them for fine work.

"THE MARTIN CASE"

Plainwell, Mich., Feb. 28.—It is generally known that Mr. C. J. Martin has been afflicted with Kidney Disease, The Ossoli met with Mrs. V. M. which developed into a serious condition known as Catarrh of the Bladder,

> They are the only remedy that ever cured Diabetes, Bright's Disease and cases of Rheumatism, Gout, Female Weakness and all diseases arising from

THE CHURCHES.

Subjects to Be Discussed From City Pulpits Tomorrow.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH-W. P. French. pastor Morning class at 9:30. Preaching at 10 30 by Rev. Barnes. Sunday school at noon Epworth lengue at 6: subject, "Personal Work" Dora vobinson, leader. Annual meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society at 7 pm. Address by Miss Deline, returned missionary from India.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH-Pleasant street, Rev. George A. Sahlin, tastor. Service 10:30 a. m. and 7 p.m. Morning subject. "An Angel bird ng Satan." Sunday school 12 m. Evening lecture, "John Calvin, the Nopoleon of Theolo-

First Congregational Church.—Rev. W. E. Brooks, D. D. pastor. Communion at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 7:30 p m. Sunday school at 12. Meeting of Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. The evening sermon will be a study of Robert Louis tevenson's celebrated story. "Dr. Jekyli and Mr. Hyde." A cordial invitation to all.

PRESBYTERIAN, Morton HU1-Rev. E. A. Hoffman, paster. Sunday services, preaching at 1:30 a. m. and 7 p. m: Sunday school 12 m.; Endeavor prayer meeting, 6 p. m. General prayer meeting. Thursday evening. Communion at the morning service tomorrow.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH--Rev. J. N. Wilson, pastor. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 b. m. Sunday school at 12: Junior Y. P. S. C. E. 1st oiv. at 4:30:2nd division at 5:20 p. m. Senior Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:00 p. m.

AFRICAN M. E. CHURCH.—Rev. James E. Lyons, Pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a.m. Subject, "Heavenly Alliance." Sunday school at 12 m. Class and praise meeting at 6:30 p.m. Even'ng services at 7:30 p.m. subject, "Prayer and its results." Juvenile choir in the morning and its results." ing and adult choir in evening. All are welcome

ST. JOHNS CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. D. Mulcahy pastor. Services at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m., except the second Sunday in each month when only the 8:00 fervices is held, and the pastor is at Bainbridge. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Vespers at 7:30 in the evening.

RESCUE MISSION-Hall over Burridge's shoe store, west Main street. Preaching at 3 and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school at 2 pm Rev. Mr. Nickel of Stevensville will preach in German at 3 pm There will also be services every evening the

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. G. A. Martin, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 by Rev. John Revels after which Mr. Hezekiah Madra will be ordained as a deacon. Sunday school at 12. Praise meeting at 0:30 Preaching at 7:30.

Spiritual service Sunday at 2:30 and 7:30 p m at G A R hall. Subject, Witch of Endor and Art of Healing by Dr and Mrs Noyes.

Y MCA-Prayer meeting at 2 p m led by A R A:ford Subject "Am I Ashamed of Christ?"

OPIUM, CHLORAL AND GOCAINE HABITS

A radical, positive and permanent cure guaranteed in 5 days. Absolutely harmless, No "tapering off" process — No substitution method.

R. A. GUNN, M.D.,

41 East 21st Street, New York City.

Board by Day or Week We also furnish you with as good a Meal or Bed as can be found in the

15 Cents

Mr. Wescott also runs the Farmers' Sheds and Feed Barn, 124 Seventh St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

Ladies with little hair



the next 30 da \$3.50 Switches

\$1.75 Mme De Canter

.. Palace Hair Dressing Parlors..

Don't forget to buy a box of Boudoir Face Powder, 35 cents.

STOP AT THE

Westcott House

104. 106. 108 Colfax Ave.

TOPIC AND PHOENIX BICYCLES

Dieyele Repairing and Enameling. All Kinds of Bioyele Supplies.

IF YOU SEE



This label on a suit or overcoat depend upon it, it's right, and is sold here by only one firm and

that's the new one.

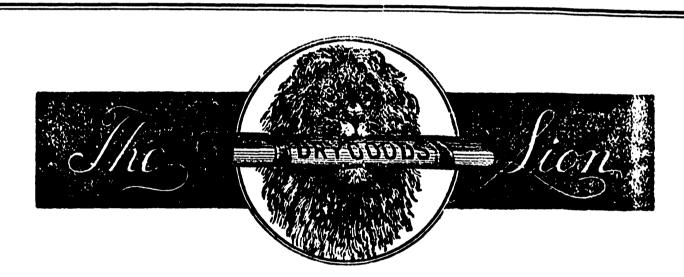
Hipp, Enders & Puterbaugh

We are ready to show you an elegant NEW stock of everything worn by men and boys--"Headto-Foot" Outfitters. Hats to Shoes, complete in every detail is our store, and the price, that's right too. The price on the ticket is what you and your neighbor pay.

One Price To All

And money back if dissatisfied is "Our Way." IS THIS FAIR?

THE NEW FIRM, Anxious to Sell Goods



Spring Announcement

We have imported a beautiful ...line of Spring DRESS GOODS

And guarantee you will find nothing like them in the twin cities. This is our first attempt in importing a line of Dress Goods, and we are thoroughly satisfied you will appreciate our efforts to show you exclusive styles and qualities not to be found elsewhere and at lowest prices.

Clothing Department...

Our new Spring Rogers, Peet & Co's Clothing Has arrived, the finest tailor made clothing produced.

SHEPARD & BENNING

Can buy during Our Prices Are Always Right

Staple and Fancy Groceries, Crockery, Etc.

At the lowest prices. Call in and get our prices whether you buy or not, we will try our best to ple se you.

California Prunes, per lb. Clear Pork, per lb. Lawe Can Apples, 15c Good Bak. Powder, cup, saucer and plate, 25c lb. 25 lbs. for \$1 00 Golden C sugar, 20 lbs. Extra C Sugar 1 00 Raisins. 5c lb. 4 lb. package Gold Dust 5 lbs. Rice 15c 25c

6 cans Sardines 2 packages Washing Powder 4 lbs. Cottolene Baker's Chocolate 8 bars Santa Claus Soap 9 bars Jaxon Soap 10 bars Calumet Soap Dates, per lb.

Cools delivered promptly to all parts of the city. Call up 'Phone No. 90.

J. C. CALKINS, 154 Pipestone

